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IN THE BEE TO-DAY

WEATHER.

The official local forecast for to-day and to-morrow, clear and cooler.

Observer Hagen says: "Clear and pleasant weather prevails throughout the United States to-day. Southwest gales are blowing along the lakes. The temperature is slowly falling in the northwest, but not sufficiently to anticipate a cold wave. The lowest temperature in the northwest was 4 degrees above at Rapid City, Dak.; the highest was 64 degrees at Galveston. The highest temperature here yesterday was 51 degrees; the lowest this morning was 38 degrees."

Forecast for western New York, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois—Generally fair weather; westerly winds; slight changes in temperature.

For Michigan and Wisconsin—Fair in southern, occasionally light showers in northern portions; westerly winds; colder.

Stations.	Wind.	Tem.	Vel.
Buffalo, fair	SW	42	20
Cleveland, cloudy	S	40	24
Toledo, clear	SW	38	20
St. Louis, clear	S	40	10
Kansas City, cloudy	N	34	10
Indianapolis, clear	SE	36	8
Chicago, clear	SW	34	24
Des Moines, fair	W	24	lt
St. Paul, clear	SW	14	14
Bismarck, clear	NW	6	12
Moorhead, clear	NW	14	8
St. Vincent, snow	NW	14	24
North Platte, fair	N	20	lt
Minnedosa, missing.			
Alpena, clear	SW	34	30
Sault Ste Marie, missing.			

LOCAL.

In club and society.
City natural gas plant finances.
Probably fatal stabbing affray.
United States grand jury reports.
Latest returns of K. P. vote in Ohio.
Important events in railroad circles.
Entertainments for the coming week.
Church announcements for to-morrow.
Eruption in Central Traffic association.
How preachers get suggestions for sermons.
The Bee thanked by way of a Toledo woman.
Fifth Presbyterian church dedication to-morrow.

UNITED STATES.

News from Fostoria.
The state of trade.
Neighborhood social.
Henry county gossip.
The Mafia in Denver.
Ohio penitentiary report.
Williams county happenings.
A Ku Klux mystery solved.
Work of the Ohio pension office.
Fatal wreck of barges on the Hudson.
Workmen killed by falling walls in St. Paul.
Latest developments in the attempt on Russell Sage's life.

FOREIGN.

Dom Pedro dead.
Australian banks in trouble.

PENSION DOINGS.

Business Transacted by the Columbus Agency.

The Largest Quarterly Payment in the History of the Agency About to be Made.

Columbus, O., Dec. 5.—(Special)—The report of the Columbus Pension Agency for November shows 77,381 pensioners on the rolls at the opening of the month, as follows: Invalids 44,455, widows, etc., 12,123; invalids under the act of June, 1890, 16,868; widows under this act 2,605, war 1812, 550, Mexican war 831.

With an addition during the month of 1,934 pensioners, chiefly invalids and widows under the 1890 act, and a total loss of 703, for the most part invalids, the present roll lists 78,612.

The disbursements for the month aggregated $388,349.66, as follows: paid to invalids, $121,983.56; widows, 72,690.84; minors, $21,778.98; dependent relatives, $8,607.86; invalids, June 1890, $88,562.11; widows of this class, $51,896.95; minors, $1,307.43; dependent relatives, $11,302.40; widows 1812, $36; survivors Mexican war, $110.13; widows, $73.60.

The December quarterly payment opens to-day, hence the above is the lightest month of the past quarter, which aggregated $3,615,753.95. Preparations for the quarterly payment, which will be the heaviest in the history of the agency, are completed, and include a resignation by Postmaster Gardner of his private office to the use of the Exchange National bank, the United States depository, where a temporary desk has been prepared for the cashing of checks for widows and invalids, the object being to avoid the rush and hindrance, as well as danger of losses when all are paid at the bank proper.

Holiday . . .

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WHO IS THE FIEND?

Blown Into Atoms By His Own Infernal Machine.

Latest Developments in the Dynamite Case.

Threatening Letters Sent to the Victim,

Demanding Money Under Penalty of Death.

The Office of the Financier Greatly Demoralized by the Explosion—Sage Identifies the Head of the Man Who Hurled Death at Him.

New York, Dec. 5.—(Special)—"That is the head of the man who dropped the dynamite."

These were the words uttered by Russell Sage when shown the head picked up in his office after the explosion.

Inspector Byrnes took the ghastly head in a basket to the bedroom of Mr. Sage last night and when he lifted the cloth from the terrible sight the identification was complete.

When the police had cleared the wrecked building an examination was made.

Just inside of the door of the general office was found the trunk of a man in a state that rendered recognition nearly impossible, the head having been severed from the body.

A pointed beard gave the appearance of a well-to-do man, which was enhanced by the brown curls of the hair and the heavy mustache that adorned the upper lip of the dead one. When the body was taken up it was found to have been torn into shreds by the explosion.

The interior of the offices plainly showed that the force of the explosion was something terrific. All the partition walls were blown down and the sashes and window frames forced outward. The ceiling had been blown down and the floor forced downward, rendering it unsafe to walk upon. Desks and chairs were overturned and hurled into an indescribable mass, and every piece of glass in the big air shaft that ran to the roof was shivered into thousands of particles. A search quickly showed that the body of the man with the pointed beard was the only one among the debris.

But one person was killed outright, the man with the pointed beard. He is supposed to be the man that made the demand for money from Mr. Sage, and the one who threw the bomb.

Benjamin F. Norton, who was blown through the window, a clerk in the office of Mr. Sage, was removed to Chambers Street hospital, where he died at 1:30 o'clock while under operation for fracture of the skull. The deceased was a resident of Far Rockaway, L. I. The following injured were taken to the hospital:

Frank Robertson, 20 years old, living at Bergen Point, and employed as a clerk for Imbre & Co., brokers. He was in Sage's office at the time of the explosion. His skull was fractured and he will probably die.

Charles W. Osborn, Russell Sage's cashier, No. 196 Berkley place, Brooklyn, fractured skull; will probably die.

Samuel J. Calhoun, clerk, of No. 165 Deane street, Brooklyn, lacerated wounds on head.

Mr. William R. Laidlaw, who was in the building at the time, received a fracture of the leg. He was taken to St. Vincent's hospital.

Col. J. J. Slocum, a brother-in-law of Mr. Sage and his chief clerk, was badly cut about the head and face, and when his wounds were dressed returned to the scene, declaring he had left the door of the safe open and it was fearful that the securities in it had been blown out and lost. Quickly gathering together what he found, he placed them in a small safe and had it removed to the office of the Manhattan Railroad company in the same building.

Late in the afternoon the firemen found among the debris a leg which was thought to be that of a woman. Whether it is or not has not been discovered. Russell Sage never employed a woman typewriter, and as this fact is well established, the supposition is that if the leg is that of a woman, it is all that is left of one of his "put and call" customers, who was in the office at the time.

Mr. Charles E. James, a railroad man, and a resident of Chattanooga, Tenn., had an appointment with Mr. Sage at 12 o'clock and had an experience that he will not soon forget. He says:

"I called at Mr. Sage's office at 12 o'clock and found him out. A seat was offered me in the main office near a desk. I took it and waited Mr. Sage's return. Sitting on a bench near the wall I noticed a man perhaps five feet eight inches in height.

"He wore a plug hat and had a pointed beard and heavy brown mustache. At about fifteen minutes past 12 o'clock Mr. Sage came in and greeting me, asked me into his private office. Mr. Sage had just removed his hat and asked me to be seated when one of his clerks entered and said something to him that I did not hear.

"He said: 'Excuse me for a moment,' and passed through the door into the main office. The door closed behind him, and I, pushing my chair over to the wall, sat facing the door through which Mr. Sage had gone.

"It might have been two or three minutes when the explosion came. I was blown nearly to the ceiling, and the chair on which I sat was smashed into pieces. I came down all in a heap. Dust and small particles of plaster and smoke filled the room. I was completely dazed, and I did not know what to do. I remember making my way through the passage from which the explosion had blown the door, into the main office. There I met Mr. Sage, blood trickling down his face and hands, his clothes torn and rent and covered with dirt and dust. When he saw me he said: 'How shall we get out?'

"'Wait,' I replied, 'until this dust settles, and I think we will be all right, as the worst must be over.' Then I recovered my senses and taking him by the arm led him down the stairway into the street."

Among the debris in the wrecked offices was found the remains of a silk hat, evidently worn by the man who gave his name as Wilson, and in one corner of Mr. Sage's private office, where Mr. James was sitting alone at the time of the explosion, was a man's hand.

The coroner made an examination of the mangled remains of the man found in Sage's office, and from the mangled mass of flesh and clothing took a seven-chamber bulldog revolver. This was all that could be found by which an identification could be made.

What was left by the explosion of the madman's body—at least it was so labeled and accepted by police and coroner—was laid out in Undertaker Duff's office at 82 Greenwich street. It was not much. The head was there, blackened, but neither cut nor disfigured in any way. It was cut off at the top of the neck, and looked for all the world like the mask of a man thirty-five or forty years old, with a full beard that might have been long, but was now burned close to chin and cheek.

Then there was a leg, the right, the left foot, and one hand, and that was all. The body proper was gone; of neither chest nor abdomen was a trace found. The leg that was there was broken and twisted. Such shreds of clothing as were found showed the man had worn trousers of a blue-black plaid, a black overcoat and long black stockings. That might have started the story that a woman's leg was found.

He had been careful to rid himself of everything that might disclose his identity. His name had been written in the corner of his black hat, but he had cut it out with a knife. There was a hole in the lining where it had been.

Mr. Sage has said to Inspector Byrnes this evening: "I came out of my office, having been sent for. I found there a man with a satchel. He handed me a card bearing the name of H. D. Wilson. He said that he came from John D. Rockefeller and at the same time handed me a typewritten letter in a sealed envelope. It was addressed to me. I opened it and found that it was a demand upon me for the payment of a million and a quarter of dollars. The latter stated that if the money was not given up at once to the presenter of the letter that he would blow me, himself and the entire office up with dynamite. I read the letter, and, placing it in the envelope, handed it back to him, and turned to go into my private office when the explosion occurred."

The story of the plot on Mr. Sage's life goes far back. Russell Sage, jr., talked freely about it. He said that of late Mr. Sage had received three or four threatening letters signed by one James Walsh. In one of them the writer demanded $1,200,000. Why that sum Mr. Sage could not say. The recent troubles between President Andrews of the New York Steam Heating company and the Standard Gas Light company now come into play in the case. A large part of the stock in dispute belonged to the widows of Spinola and Manheim.

These women, Walsh said in his letters, he was about to marry. He therefore demanded money to put him on their financial level. Mr. Sage paid no attention to him. Mr. Jay Gould was also attacked in the letters, and denounced in abusive terms.

The writer threatened Mr. Sage's life, but no attention was paid to it, as all who knew about the letters believed him to be "a harmless crank," to quote Russell Sage, jr.'s, own words. The result is known, and Mr. Sage has been made the object of the dynamite fiend.

New York, Dec. 5.—Russell Sage was down town to-day as usual and said he was all right. The streets around the wreck of the Arcade building are crowded with curious lookers-on, while the building department is arranging the necessary repairs.

The police keep everybody out of the building. Mr. Osborn, the only clerk of Mr. Sage who escaped unhurt, is engaged this morning recovering scattered papers.

Among the documents recovered is the check which young Robertson had with him when he was mangled by the explosion. It is covered with blood and two holes were blown through it. It is for $9,000 and is drawn in favor of Sage to pay for C. B. & Q. bonds.

Mr. Connor says that no bonds or securities were lost by himself or Mr. Sage. A dispatch from Utica places more mystery around the affair, in that it says that Hiram Wilson, who was supposed to be the man who threw the bomb, is still in the asylum in that city, so that the authorities have no clue as to what name the remains may have had.

The terribly lacerated condition of the dynamiter's remains is accounted for by the fact that he must have had another bomb in his pocket, which exploded from the concussion.

DONOVAN FOOLED THE BOYS.

He Has Taken Unto Himself a Wife.

Washington, Dec. 5.—(Special)—D. D. Donovan arrived here this morning and explains his rather tardy appearance by the fact that he has enrolled himself among the benedicts since leaving Deshler.

Last Tuesday he was married in Baltimore to Miss Jenerva Waltmire, daughter of J. C. Waltmire, ex-treasurer of Henry county.

Rev. Father Dennis, of St. Leon's church, performed the ceremony. The couple then took a trip to New York.

WHISKY AND WOMEN.

Mt. Vernon, Mo., Dec. 5.—Charles Melvin Seaton has been hanged for the murder of Lewis Channel, a mining engineer, at Joplin, Mo., about a year ago. Seaton made a farewell address from the scaffold, in which he warned his listeners to avoid the use of whisky and the company of bad women.

OHIO PENITENTIARY.

Annual Report Filed with the Governor.

A Review of the Work and Finances of the Institution During the Past Year.

Columbus, O., Dec. 4.—The annual report of the board of managers and officers of the penitentiary was filed with the governor yesterday.

The warden's financial statement shows that the receipts and expenditures were as follows: Earnings—Piece-price labor, $174,117.84; contract labor, $18,782.55; surplus labor, $4,576.56; state and miscellaneous, $43,751.89. Total earnings, $241,178.84. Expenditures—Salaries of managers, $5,000; salaries of officers, $23,152.71; salaries of guards, $82,931.61; current expenses, $118,937. Total expenses, $118,937. This shows a net profit of $11,157.52. The per capita expense for the year was $144.13.

The number of prisoners confined in the penitentiary on October 31, 1891, was 1,528. The average population for the year was 1,506. There were 918 received and 947 discharged within the year. The number of prisoners paroled within the year was 97. The number paroled since passage of act is 762. The number discharged by expiration of sentence within the year is 478. The number of paroles revoked was 4. One prisoner refused to accept a parole. The number of prisoners returned for violation of parole is 66. The managers make the ridiculous statement in their report that only eight pardons have been granted by the governor within the year, whereas it is a well-known fact that the number is seven times eight.

There were four executions at the penitentiary within the year, the men hanged being Ellis Miller, of Union county, Elmer Sharkey, of Preble county, Henry Popp, of Stark county, and Edward Blair, of Putnam county. Four men are now confined in the annex awaiting their doom.

CONFESSED THE CRIME.

A Mystery of Twenty Years Ago is Solved.

The Murderer of Senator John W Stephen Relieves His Conscience While on His Death Bed.

Raleigh, N. C., Dec. 5.—On May 21, 1870, at midday, during the height of the Ku Klux reign in this state, Senator John W. Stephen, of Caswell county, was found dead in the tower of the court house at Yanceyville.

There were numerous stabs in his body and a rope around his neck. Court was in session at the time and a tremendous sensation was created. Gov. Holden caused a large number of arrests on suspicion, among them several prominent democratic politicians and an ex-judge of the superior court.

No clue was found and the matter has ever since remained a mystery. Yesterday a prominent citizen of Caswell county, Dr. Felix Roan, on his death confessed the murder, and named as his accomplices, Dr. Stephen Richmond and the sheriff of the county. All parties are now dead, but the confession lifts the suspicion which has attached to several prominent men still living.

DEATH IN THE DEBRIS.

An Awful Accident in St. Paul Yesterday.

Many Men Buried Under Falling Walls.

Bruised and Bleeding Bodies Taken Out of the Wreck by the Workmen Who Were Fortunate Enough to Escape Death.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 5.—The most horrible accident that ever occurred in St. Paul, took place shortly after 1 o'clock yesterday, when the center wall of the west section of the Shepard building, recently occupied by Farwell, Ozmun & Kirk, fell in, burying the workmen beneath the ruins.

Contractor Wilcox was taken out dead and mangled beyond recognition. His head was mashed to a pulp.

The wounded were taken to the city hospital in the patrol wagon and the dead, with the exception of one man, were laid out in the Great Northern freight house. Hundreds of people, including many of the workmen, viewed the remains, but no one was able to identify any of them, but finally the name of one of the dead laborers was ascertained to be Chris Larson.

The cause of the accident, as near as can be learned, was that the wall, which was weakened by the fire, became top heavy from the large amount of debris removed from the bottom and fell over of its own weight. The wall had appeared firm and gave no sign of weakening up to the time of the fall, when it came down in a heap without a second's warning.

It was a sight never to be forgotten as the dead and injured were taken out, some of them crushed almost to a pulp. One of them, supposed to have been a sub foreman, was taken out in his fur coat, nothing but his feet and limbs being visible. His head and body appeared to be crushed out of all semblance of humanity. Others were not so badly mangled, but had evidently been instantly killed by the bricks falling on their heads.

There were no groans or cries from the injured as the poor fellows were extricated from the ruins by their fellow workmen. Not one had retained consciousness. The most careful handling possible seemed to be torture most horrible, for the rescuers were not well drilled to their gruesome task at the outset and did not work together as they did later on. In their disconcerted efforts they seemed at times to be pulling the men almost to pieces.

The faces of the workmen were almost as ghastly as if they had been dead themselves. The majority of the men were under the south side of the wall, and here the heaviest part of the wall fell. Only two were taken out from the north side.

The identified are:

Dead.

Edward S. Wilcox, contractor.
Hans Hanson, Swede laborer.
Charles Katrinski, Pole laborer.
George Shapinski, laborer.
Charles Larson.
John Adamski, 35 years of age.
Frank Marco.

The injured—John Warren, Thomas Somatra, Frank Diether, Samuel Peters, and an unknown man.

MAFIA'S DEADLY WORK.

Its Members Believed to be Operating in Denver.

Peculiar and Sudden Death of an Italian Who Knew Much About the Crookedness of Others.

Denver, Col., Dec. 5.—The Mafia is supposed to be at work in this city. Angelo Rovero, died in the Italian quarters last night with all the symptoms of arsenical poisoning, and his wife is now seriously ill. She also exhibits symptoms of arsenical poisoning.

Rovero and his wife were recently arrested on the suspicion that they were counterfeiters. He owned valuable mining property near Boulder, and the charge is said to have been trumped up against him to get him out of the way in order that interested parties might secure this property.

Counterfeiting tools are said to have been placed in a cave near his mine and the United States officials were informed and arrested the unfortunate man.

His trial was set for the first instant, and although he was taken violently ill, he appeared. The Italian witnesses against him did not appear and he was told to go home and remain until he got well.

He and his wife took rooms in the Italian quarters and he died in the greatest agony last night. He knew he was dying and said he was being murdered. He urged his friends to avenge him and they promised to do so; and other killings may follow.

It is said that Rovero was put out of the way because he possessed dangerous secrets of a gang of Italian counterfeiters, who were also members of the Mafia. The police have taken charge of the case and the United States officials are also to take a hand in it.

THE BIG AUSTRALIAN BANK

Has Emerged from a Financial Crisis.

A Bill Passed by the Parliament to Save Depositors from Loss—Better Feeling To-Day.

Melbourne, Dec. 5.—The suspensions of banks and other financial institutions led to a run on the Standing bank of Australia and it soon closed its doors.

The bank's capital is 1,000,000 pounds, of which 25,000 pounds was called up.

The situation is easier to-day and it is believed the crisis is passed. Assistance has been offered by the principal assurance societies of the colony.

A bill to prevent loss to depositors through compulsory winding up of building societies contrary to their wishes was passed by the colonial parliament last night.

WILLIAMS COUNTY NEWS.

An Interesting Case in the Courts.

A Burglar Becomes Converted and Confesses to Stealing Forty Bushels of Oats from Farmer Simon.

Bryan, O., Dec. 5.—(Special)—Williams county common pleas court is in session and a number of criminal cases have been heard. The following criminal cases have been tried:

State v George Betts, burglary. This case has been before the court a couple of days past and is causing much interest to lookers-on. Three years ago last march John Simon, a German farmer of Florence township, this county, on going to his barn one morning discovered that some of his oats were missing, and upon investigation found four holes bored through the siding of the barn in which the granary was built, leaving a hole about four inches square from which the oats were taken.

For a long after rumors were afloat as to who the guilty parties were, but no one in particular was blamed for the act.

During a protracted meeting in that neighborhood last winter one Frank Snell, a neighbor, confessed religion, also at the same time confessed that he, with three others, stole the oats.

Snell was placed upon the witness stand Thursday afternoon and told to the court how the oats were taken, in all amounting to about forty bushels. The reason for the parties stealing the oats was given, and that was that Mr. Simon would not sell, consequently they determined on stealing. The case is still on.

The remains of W. G. Halm were brought here from Washington, D. C., yesterday and will be laid to rest in Fountain cemetery. Mr. H. was a resident of this place but for two years past has been engaged as traveling salesman for an electric supply house. The funeral services will be held in the Universalist church to-morrow, under the auspices of the Knights of Pythias, of which he was a member.

The new U. B. church at this place will be dedicated to-morrow. Bishop Castle will be present.

Mrs. Alice Guthrie, of Stryker, spent a couple of days in Bryan this week.

Mrs. Lulu Gleason, of Lagrange, Ind., is visiting among old-time friends in Bryan.

THIRTY MEN DROWNED.

An Awful Disaster to Tow of Brick Barges.

They Were Improperly Handled by the Tug in Charge and a Large Number of Deaths is the Result.

Haverstraw, N. Y., Dec. 5.—Twelve barges loaded with brick, including the Irene, Capt. James Kennedy; Delson, Capt. Cahill; Louise, Capt. Bradbury; Lizzie and Louise, Christie Roy, Capt. Brennan; James G. Scott and Ellen McGuire, towed by the Cornell Towing company's steamboat Townsend, coming down the Hudson, when opposite Croton Point, were upset, at about 9 o'clock last evening, and about 50 persons drowned. The names of other boats are Mary G. Burns, Capt. Will Dewitt; Blackstone and Yelverstone, from Tomkins Cove, whose captains' names could not be ascertained.

When at Croton Point the swash of the river was so great that the tug was compelled to round to, thus forcing the barges to ride each other. Being loaded, and the tide washing high, they immediately upset. There were 60 men on the 12 barges and only 30 have come ashore. The accident is attributed by many to the carelessness of the pilot of the tug.

W. J. Curran, a boat hand on the Louise, who has just arrived from his swim ashore, says: "We were playing the concertina in the cabin at the time of the accident. I ran on deck, only to see one scow run on top of the other; the boats did not sink, but toppled over. Upon each barge were five men, making 60 in all. Of these only about 30 men have come ashore."

Tugs are out all over the river in the hope of saving any who may have clung to the bottom of the capsized barges, but little hope is entertained as to the safety of the remainder of the crews.

Twelve are known to be drowned from the different boats. Great excitement prevails in the village.

DIED IN AN ASYLUM.

Erie, Pa., Dec. 5.—The death of Lysander S. Norton, Esq., a late member of the Erie bar, is announced from a private insane asylum in Canandaigua, N. Y. Deceased was a native of Meadville and a graduate of the Allegheny college, and was for a number of years one of the most brilliant lights at the Erie bar.

NEW SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT.

Upper Sandusky, O., Dec. 5.—Prof. J. W. Wenner of Tiffin, has been employed by the board of education to take the superintendency of the public schools here, vice Prof. W. A. Baker, who died a week ago to-day. There were 18 other applicants.

FOSTORIA GOSSIP.

Bad Men Called Up Before the Court.

Northwestern Gas Company Securing More Territory—Pythian Sisters Making Progress.

Fostoria, O., Dec. 5.—(Special)—Jesse Boucher, who, with his brother Elmer and Wm. Caldwell, was arrested some weeks ago for assault on Geo. Lippencott, proprietor of the Hays house, had his hearing Thursday and was bound over to court in the sum of $100. Elmer waived hearing and was bound over in the same sum. Caldwell plead guilty and his case was continued till next week.

A tramp stole an overcoat from in front of Kohn Bros.' store Thursday evening. He was seen and pursued, but when captured did not have the coat in his possession. It was afterward found on Mrs. Foster's lawn, where he threw it when pursued.

Andrew Emerine has leased 425 acres of gas land in Bloom and Perry townships, Wood county, to the N. W. O. Gas company.

The Findlay Gas company recently drilled in a five million foot gas well on the Nelson farm, a few miles west of this city.

At the organization meeting of Fostoria's new pension board, Dr. Henry was made president, Dr. Hoege secretary, and Dr. Livers of Tiffin treasurer.

Star Temple of Pythian Sisters will be instituted in this city next Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. H. L. Byington of Rising Sun. The Sisters will be banqueted in the evening by the K. of P. lodge.

Norris Post, G. A. R., of this city, has received notice that Wm. J. Elliott, now in the Ohio penitentiary for murdering Osborne at Columbus, has been dishonorably discharged from the order.

MAUMEE COUNCIL.

The Session Monday Night Will Be Very Important.

Maumee, O., Dec. 5.—(Special)—The council meets next Monday evening in regular session. Much business of importance will come before this meeting. The council will complete arrangements for securing a culvert under the canal at Key street, and will settle the electric street railway question, by either granting the Toledo parties extension of time in which to complete the road or require them to pay the face of their bond—$1,000—at the close of the year.

NEWSPAPER CHANGE.

Weston, O., Dec. 5.—A. Z. Coward has purchased a half interest in the Herald, owned by J. D. Conklin. The new firm will be Darby & Coward, the former as editor and the latter as business manager.

M. LEMOIR DEAD.

Paris, Dec. 5.—M. Lemoir, president of the International League of Peace, is dead.

HENRY COUNTY GOSSIP.

A Township Board and a Contracting Firm

Having a Nice Little Row Over a School House.

Narrow Escape from Death by Asphyxiation by a Napoleon Boy—Social and General Happenings.

Napoleon, O., Dec. 5.—(Special)—The members of the Epworth league gave a well attended carnival at the Rink opera house Thursday and Friday evenings. The members were costumed as Japs.

A program was rendered consisting of exjracts from the Mikado, recitations, solos and a hoop drill by some 30 of Napoleon's pretty girls. The net receipts were over $200.

George Lex and Edw. Wolf built a school house for the good people of Pleasant township and had it completed several weeks ago, but refused to turn over the keys until the township board of education allowed them extra for putting on "patent" instead of "lap" siding. The board at last assumed the offensive and got out a writ of replevin, but could find nothing to replevin, and the contractors are still master of the situation, board, teacher, et al.

School has been delayed several weeks and the patrons are wrathy. Several came to Napoleon yesterday and consulted lawyers, but did nothing definite.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brownell celebrated their fifteenth wedding anniversary last evening.

Mrs. Emma Hague has received her appointment as W. R. C. inspector of Lucas and Henry counties. She is an ardent worker in the corps here and a general favorite. She will make a good inspector.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Saur have returned to their home in Hicksville after several days' visit with Dr. and Mrs. Saur.

Miss Mary Humphrey leaves next week for New York, where she will resume the culture of her vocal organs.

Miss Jean Reynolds has accepted a position as private secretary in the law office of Campbell & Van Campen.

Word has been received here that Enno Powell, son of Dr. Powell, who is attending school of pharmacy at Lafayette, Ind., had a narrow escape from being asphyxiated a few days since. His room is heated by gas. During the night by some unknown cause the fire was extinguished, and the room became filled with gas.

Neighboring students smelled the strong odor of gas, and breaking down the door dragged the boy from the room in an unconscious condition. By dint of much labor he was resuscitated.

An engineer has been here for several days looking over the ground with the intention of submitting to the council a proposition to put in a water works and electric light plant. The contract of the present company expires this month. The council will in all probability increase the number of lights.

GAS BOARD'S FINANCES.

Status of the Treasury as it Stands To-Day.

The Committee on Territory in Session—Proposition to Buy 28 Wells and 1,600 Acres of Gas Lands.

This morning a Bee visited the natural gas office with a view of finding out as far as possible the financial condition of the department and the present status of the treasury.

Manager Heston and Superintendent O'Herron were in the gas field. Secretary Brown was absent, and the reporter sought Assistant Auditor Manton.

"I must refer you to the manager," said Mr. Manton, "but I will say this—the published statement relative to the receipts and disbursements of December collections is incorrect. The fact is, we have not paid out the December collections for the simple reason that they have not been paid in and will not be before the 10th. We have received less than $1,000 out of $12,000 or $13,000 which is or will fall due on the 10th."

"What is the cash liabilities of the board, do you know?"

"About $15,000. I believe, and this we can meet all right. We have considerable of the stock on hand, for the purchase of which this money is due Shaw, Kendall & Co. and others. I must refer you to Mr. Rodgers, superintendent of the stock, for the particulars."

Mr. Rodgers was found in the basement.

"What amount of stock have you on hand, Mr. Rodgers?"

"We have a large stock on hand for the reason that work was stopped suddenly just in the midst of the piping."

"What would you estimate the cost of the stock?"

"Well, we have 20,000 feet of 2-inch pipe, and 137 barrels of fitting—oh, about $11,000. This stock would have been used had not the piping ceased when it did, as it is it will come in all right next spring when work is resumed."

The estimated cost of territory, main line and city plant is placed as follows:

Cost of main line and territory, bonds	$500,000
Gas bond on part of city plant	250,000
Certificates of indebtedness on city plant	198,000
Gas certificates issued on money advanced to build city lines	55,000
Total	$1,003,000

It may be stated here that under the meter system consumers will pay in at the close of each month, and under the mixer system money is paid in advance. It is claimed by those using meters that the cost has been reduced one-half over last year's rates.

The Bee visited the construction department relative to the number of men employed. The payroll for the last part of October and first half of November was $15,000.

"How many men had the department at work outside the office during October and November?" was asked.

"It averaged 500. When the piping stopped the men were laid off, and now there are, exclusive of the office help, about 50 men."

"What will the payroll amount to this month?"

"I don't know. I haven't made it out yet, but it will not be one-tenth of the preceding month."

A trip through the office revealed the fact that the bookkeeper was behind in his work, and had not yet made the report for November to the common council.

"What seems to be the trouble?" was an inquiry made.

"Well, you see, last month we made out contracts at the rate of 100 a day, and every available man in the office was kept busy attending to writing out these contracts. Everything is in good shape, however, or will be in a very short time. It must be understood that to make out contracts and open accounts with over 6,000 individuals was no child's play. Give us a chance."

The committee on territory was in session all yesterday afternoon and again this morning considering propositions. The committee had before it propositions to sell 28 gas wells and about 1,600 acres of gas territory.

The committee has to consider the question of money. There is practically no money with which to buy wells or lands, but it is understood means and ways will be devised whereby some more wells and lands can be secured.

THE GAVEL-WIELDERS.

The Speakers of the House of Representatives.

A Resume of Their Public Services.

There Have Been Thirty-One of Them In Fifty-One Congresses—Who Will Be the Thirty-Second?

Who will be speaker of the house of representatives in the Fifty-second congress? is a question in which all the people of the country have been interested since the elections in November a year ago and which will be soon settled to the satisfaction of the democracy at least. The interest in the good-natured if ardent contest of the democratic aspirants for the honor marks the time as an appropriate one for brushing up one's knowledge of American history as related to this office, and the Bee assists its readers in the task by presenting the following resume concerning the thirty-one legislators who have been chosen speakers:

The First Speaker of the House

was Rev. Frederick A. Muhlenberg, of Pennsylvania, Lutheran clergyman, who served as speaker two terms in the first and third congresses. He was born in Trappe, Pa., June 2, 1750, held Lutheran pastorates in Pennsylvania and New York city; was a member of the first four congresses, and died soon after the close of his fourth term, June 4, 1801.

The second speaker was

Jonathan Trumbull, of Connecticut,

who so served in the second congress, went from the house to the senate, was elected governor of Connecticut eleven terms and died in office, August 7, 1809. He was born in Lebanon, Conn., March 26, 1740, and was a son of Jonathan Trumbull, the American revolutionist, who was the original "Brother Jonathan," so called by Washington.

Jonathan Dayton, of New Jersey,

was speaker in the fourth and fifth congresses, later was United States senator, then served in the New Jersey legislature. He was so far involved in the Aaron Burr conspiracy as to be arrested, but was never brought to trial. He was born in Elizabethtown, N. J., October 16, 1760, and died there October 9, 1824.

The fourth speaker was

Theodore Sedgwick, of Massachusetts,

who so served in the sixth congress. He acted as aide to Gen. Thomas in the expedition to Canada in 1776, and helped suppress Shay's "whisky rebellion." He was born in Hartford, Conn., May, 1846, studied at Yale, practiced law in Massachusetts, was a member of and speaker in the Massachusetts legislature; was a representative in congress, 1789-'96; United States senator, 1798-'9, and in 1799 again in the house and speaker. In 1802 he was appointed to the supreme bench in Massachusetts, and was so serving at his death, which occurred in Boston, January 24, 1813.

The next speaker, serving three terms, in the seventh, eighth and ninth congresses, was

Nathaniel Macon, of North Carolina,

who was born in Warren county, that state, in 1757, and died there June 29, 1837. He served in the revolutionary army, refusing to take any pay, or to accept a pension; was a member of the senate of North Carolina; member of congress, 1791 to 1815; speaker, 1801 to 1806, and then declining renomination. He was in the United States senate from 1816 to 1828, and president pro tem of that body 1825-7. In 1824 he received the electoral vote of Virginia for the office of vice president.

Joseph B. Varnum, of Massachusetts,

Speaker in the tenth and eleventh congresses, 1807-11, was born in Dracut, Mass., Jan. 29, 1750. He served in the revolutionary army, was a member of both houses of the Massachusetts legislature, and elected to congress in 1795, serving there until elected to the United States senate in 1811. He remained in the senate until 1817, was president pro tem of that body, and acting vice president of the United States from December 6, 1813, to April 17, 1814. He died at Dracut, September 21, 1821.

Henry Clay, of Kentucky,

was the next speaker, serving through the twelfth, fourteenth, fifteenth and eighteenth congresses, and the first sessions of the thirteenth and sixteenth congresses, receiving the election for six terms and serving as speaker in all ten years. The public services of this great statesman are too well known to need more than the briefest recapitulation: He was born near Richmond, Va., in Hanover county, April 12, 1777, studied law in that state, greatly assisted by the eminent Chancellor Wythe; set up his office for law practice in Lexington, Ky.; in 1804 was elected to the legislature, and in 1806 was chosen to fill a vacancy in the United States senate. In 1809-10 he again filled a vacancy for Kentucky in the senate. In August, 1811, he was elected a representative in congress, and his first appearance there, when the called session convened in November following, he received the unprecedented honor of being elected speaker by a large majority. The thirteenth congress was called in May, 1813, more than six months in advance of its regular day, on account of the second war with Great Britain. Again elected speaker by a large majority Mr. Clay served until he resigned, January 19, 1814, to sail for England as one of the negotiators for an honorable peace. On December 18, 1815, he again was chosen to wield the gavel of the house, and with the exception of one term he presided over that body from that time until March 4, 1825. It was in 1821 the "Missouri Compromise," proposed and advocated by Mr. Clay was adopted. In 1824 Mr. Clay was one of four candidates for the presidency of the United States, receiving 37 electoral votes. The other candidates were John Quincy Adams, Andrew Jackson and Wm. H. Crawford. The election went to the house and Mr. Clay voted for Adams, who received the majority of the votes of the house, and was elected. Through Adams' one term Mr. Clay was secretary of state. In 1831 he was again elected to the senate, where he served until his resignation in March, 1842. On December 3, 1849, he again took his seat in that body, and he was still serving when his death occurred in Washington, June 29, 1852, after forty-six years of almost continuous service in the two branches of congress. In 1839 Mr. Clay's name was before the national whig convention for the nomination for president, but Gen. Harrison received the nomination. In 1844 Mr. Clay was nominated, and received 105 electoral votes, his opponent, Mr. Polk, the democratic nominee, receiving 170 votes.

Langdon Cheves of South Carolina

Succeeded Mr. Clay as speaker in his second term, the second session of the thirteenth congress. He was born at Rocky River, S. C., September 17, 1776, and died at Columbia, that state, June 25, 1857. He was a member of congress from 1811 to 1815, and speaker from January 19, 1814, to March 4, 1815, of which service it is recorded that "not one of his decisions was reversed by the house." It is also recorded that "The bill for the recharter of the United States bank in 1815 was lost by his vote. He voted first to make it a tie and then gave a second and casting vote to defeat it." The bank was chartered in 1816, and he was then fully convinced that in 1819 it was a necessity, when Cheves was one of its board of directors and its most able financial measures. He later he resigned, and served as first comptroller under the treaty of Ghent, settling some its important questions. In the second session of the fifteenth congress,

John W. Taylor, of New York,

Succeeded Henry Clay as speaker, serving only from November 15, 1813, to March 4 following, but he was again elected speaker, so serving in the November congress, 1820-21. He was born in Saratoga county, N. Y., was elected to the New York legislature in 1811, to congress in 1813, and served by continuous re-elections to that body for 23 years. He was state senator 1811-3, and in the latter year removed to Cleveland, O., where he died September 8, 1854.

In the Seventeenth congress the speaker was

Philip P. Barbour, of Virginia.

He was a son of Gov. James Barbour of Virginia, and was born in Orange county, that state, May 25, 1783. He studied law in William and Mary college; served in the state legislature, 1812-14; was sent to congress in 1814, was speaker 1823-3, and resigned from congress in 1825 to become a judge of the Virginia general court. In 1827 he was returned to congress, but resigned on account of ill-health in 1830. In 1829 he was president of the Virginia constitutional convention; in 1831 he presided at the Philadelphia free trade convention; in 1832 he received 46 votes for vice-president in the Baltimore democratic convention. President Jackson appointed Mr. Barbour judge of the United States circuit court for the eastern district of Virginia, and on March 15, 1836, he was made associate justice of the United States supreme court. He was so serving when he died at Washington, February 24, 1841.

Andrew Stevenson, of Virginia

Was four times elected speaker of the house, and served six and one-half years, in the Twentieth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second and Twenty-third congresses. His was the longest service of any speaker except Mr. Clay, who served ten years. Mr. Stevenson was born in Culpeper county, Virginia, in 1784, and was educated for the bar in that state. He was a member of the Virginia house of delegates, and its speaker; was elected to congress as a democrat, and served from December 1, 1823, to June 2, 1834, when he resigned speaker from 1827 to 1834. From 1836 to 1841 he was minister to England. He died in Albemarle county, Va., January 25, 1857. He was rector of the University of Virginia at the time of his death.

In the second session of the twenty-third congress the speaker was

John Bell, of Tennessee.

He was born near Nashville, Feb. 15, 1797, educated at Cumberland college, and began practice of law in Franklin. In 1817 he was elected to the state senate, served one term and declined re-election. In an exciting canvass in 1827 he defeated Felix Grundy for congress, and, re-elected six times, he remained in congress until 1841, for ten years chairman of the committee on Indian affairs. A free-trader and a democrat, he changed his creed to high protection, and was one of the founders of the whig party. It was this change which led to his election to the speakership in 1834, his opponent being James K. Polk, the democratic nominee. President Harrison made Mr. Bell secretary of war in 1841, but he resigned with the rest of the cabinet (Webster excepted) upon disagreement with President Tyler. From 1847 to March 3, 1859, Mr. Bell was one of the United States senators from Tennessee. In 1860 he was the head of the "Bell and Everett" ticket, nominated by the "Constitutional union" party for the presidency. This ticket received the electoral votes of Virginia, Kentucky and Tennessee. On April 18, 1861, Mr. Bell made a speech advising that Tennessee remain neutral in the civil war, but a few days later advised that it go with the southern states. He remained in private life from this time until his death, at Cumberland Iron Works, Tenn., Sept. 10, 1869.

The speaker in the twenty-fourth and twenty-fifth congress, the only speaker twenty-fifth congresses, the only speaker United States, was

James K. Polk, of Tennessee.

He was born in Mecklenburg county, N. C., Nov. 2, 1795, taken by his father, Samuel Polk, to Tennessee in 1806; was graduated at the University of Nashville in 1818; admitted to the bar in 1820; member of the state legislature 1823-5; member of congress, 1825-39, and speaker 1835-9. In 1839-40 he was governor of Tennessee, and in 1841 was a candidate for re-election, but was defeated, the whig wave sweeping everything in Tennessee before it. In 1843 he was again defeated by the whig candidate for governor. At the Baltimore convention, May 27, 1844, he was the democratic nominee for the presidency, and was elected, the chief issue of the campaign being the annexation of Texas. The events of the next four years were momentous for the nation, including the war with Mexico, but Mr. Polk's administration was able and satisfactory. Declining to seek a renomination Mr. Polk retired to private life March 4, 1844, and he died in Nashville on June 19 following.

Robert M. T. Hunter of Virginia,

Speaker of the twenty-sixth congress, was born in Essex county, Virginia, April 21, 1809, of distinguished lineage, the Mercer and Taliaferro families, as well as the Hunters, being his ancestry. He was educated in the University of Virginia, began the practice of law about 1830; member of the Virginia legislature in 1833; elected to congress in 1836 and 1838, and again in 1844; speaker of the house 1839-41; United States senator 1847-61, and framed the tariff act of 1857, by which duties were lowered. In the Charleston democratic convention in 1860 he was a candidate for nomination for president, and received the next highest vote to that given Stephen A. Douglas. In July, 1861, he was formally expelled from the senate, and became a member of the provisional confederate congress. It is said had Jefferson Davis been made commander-in-chief of the southern armies, Mr. Hunter would have been made president of the Confederate states. For a time he was secretary of state, but not agreeing with Mr. Davis' policy he resigned and went into the senate, where he opposed the administration. He was one of the commissioners who in 1865 unsuccessfully attempted to negotiate a peace with President Lincoln and Secretary Seward, in Hampden Roads, on the basis of recognition of the Confederate states. He was arrested after the close of the war, and released on parole, and in 1867 was pardoned by President Johnson. In 1874 he was an unsuccessful candidate for United States senator. In 1877-9 was treasurer of Virginia; in 1880 retired to his farm in Essex county, where he died July 18, 1887. The fifteenth speaker of the house was

John White, of Kentucky.

He was born in that state in 1805; practiced law in Richmond, Ky., several years; served in congress by successive elections from Dec. 7, 1835 to March 3, 1845, and was speaker of the twenty-seventh congress. On retiring from congress he was appointed in 1824 by Mr. Clay judge of the nineteenth judicial district of Kentucky, but in the same year committed suicide, dying at Richmond, Ky., Sept. 22, 1845.

John W. Jones of Virginia,

Speaker in the twenty-eighth congress, was born in Chesterfield, that state, Nov. 22, 1791. He was a member of congress from Dec. 7, 1835 to March 3, 1845; speaker of the house Dec. 4, 1843 to March 4, 1845; died Jan. 29, 1848. The next speaker was

John W. Davis of Indiana.

He was born in Cumberland county, Pa., July 17, 1799, and removed to Chillicothe, Ind., in 1823. He was a democrat in politics; was elected to the Indiana house of representatives, served several terms and was speaker in 1832. In 1833-7, 1839-41, 1843-7, he was in congress, and during the last term was speaker. In 1837 he was commissioner to negotiate a treaty with Indians; United States commissioner to China, 1848-9; governor of Oregon, 1853-4; in 1852 presided over the Baltimore convention that nominated Franklin Pierce for president. He died at Carlisle, Aug. 22, 1859. The eighteenth speaker of the house was

Robert C. Winthrop of Massachusetts.

He was born in Boston, May 12, 1809, a descendant in the sixth generation of Gov. John Winthrop, of Massachusetts Bay colony. He was graduated at Harvard, studied law with Daniel Webster, and entered politics as a Henry Clay whig. From 1834 to 1840 he was a member of the Massachusetts house of representatives, speaker 1838-40. From 40 to 1850 he was a member of congress, speaker in 1847-9, and defeated for [illegible] by a majority [illegible] time. [illegible] unanimously [illegible] secretary [illegible] as a senator. He [illegible] Cobb, of Georgia,

the next speaker, was born in that state, on Sept. 9th, December 7, 1815. In 1836 he was admitted to the bar, and in the same year was presidential elector on the Van Buren ticket. He was also solicitor-general of the western circuit of Georgia some years, entered congress in 1843 and served until 1851, achieving distinction as the champion of states rights and slavery extension; speaker of the house 1849-51; governor of Georgia 1851-3; again elected to congress in 1855, and served there until he became Buchanan's secretary of the treasury. On December 10, 1860, he resigned from the cabinet, went into the secession movement with his native state, and was a member of the provisional congress which prepared the constitution of the Confederacy. His opposition to Davis' policy caused him to withdraw from civil office, and he received from the Confederate congress commission as brigadier-general and subsequently promotion to major-general. He took little part in the military movements of the war, but strongly opposed the policy of reconstruction. Mr. Cobb died in New York city, October 9, 1868.

Linn Boyd, of Kentucky,

speaker of the thirty-third and thirty-fourth congresses, was born in Nashville, Tenn., November 28, 1800, and died in Paducah, Ky., December 16, 1859. He made his home in Kentucky when a boy, and was self-educated. From 1827 to 1832 he was a democratic member of the Kentucky legislature; in 1835-'8 was a member of congress, and again from 1839 to 1855; speaker of the house 1851-'3. His last political office was that of lieutenant-governor of Kentucky.

Nathaniel P. Banks, of Massachusetts,

twenty-first speaker of the house, was born in Waltham, Mass., January 30, 1816. He was a cotton factory hand, machinist, editor and lawyer in turn; member of the state legislature 1851-'2; chairman of the Massachusetts constitutional convention, 1853; elected to congress in the same year as a coalition-democrat; again elected to congress by the "know-nothing" party, and chosen speaker after a two months contest, on the 133d ballot, the dead-lock being broken by the adoption of the plurality rule. He was again elected to the thirty-fifth congress, this time as a republican, and served until elected governor of Massachusetts; governor three terms of one year each; volunteered in the civil war, and through most of his service was in command of a corps in the Union army. Relieved of his command in May, 1864, he resigned his commission and was again elected to congress. With the exception of 1872, when he took the stump for Horace Greeley, Gen. Banks remained in congress until 1877.

James L. Orr, of South Carolina,

speaker of the thirty-fifth congress, was a native of that state, born at Craytonville, May 12, 1822; member of the state legislature, 1844-5; member of congress, 1848-'58; speaker, 1857-9; Confederate state senator, 1862-5. Accepting the reconstruction policy, he was made provisional governor of South Carolina, and so served 1865-'9; judge of the circuit court of South Carolina, appointed in 1870; appointed minister to Russia, and died at St. Petersburg, May 5, 1873.

William Pennington, of New Jersey,

The next speaker, was born at Newark, May 4, 1796, a son of Gov. W. S. Pennington. He was chancellor of New Jersey; governor of the state, 1837-43; member house 13th jury 1, 1861, to March 4, 1861; member of congress 1859-61; speaker of the 36th at Newark, February 16, 1862.

Galusha A. Grow, of Pennsylvania,

Was speaker of the house from July 4, 1861, to March 4, 1863. He was born in Windham county, Ct., August 31, 1824; was admitted to the bar in Susquehanna county, Pa., April 19, 1847; took his seat in congress in December, 1851, as a democrat, the youngest member of the house, and served for twelve successive years, although he changed his political party in the time. He was a delegate to the republican national conventions in 1864 and 1868, and took an active part in the republican campaign in 1876. The mission to Russia was tendered him in 1870, but declined.

Both three terms of two years each in the thirty-eighth, thirty-ninth and fortieth congresses,

Schuyler Colfax, of Indiana,

was speaker of the house. He was a grandson of Gen. Wm. Colfax, who commanded Washington's life guards in the Revolutionary war, and was born in New York city, March 23, 1823. In 1836 he accompanied his widowed mother to Indiana, and settled at South Bend, editing a whig paper there for a time. In 1845 he was a member of the Indiana constitutional convention; from 1854 to 1860 was a member of congress; in November, 1868, was elected vice-president of the United States, on the ticket with Gen. Grant; in August, 1871, was tendered the portfolio of secretary of state, but declined it; in 1872 was defeated for renomination on the ticket with Grant, he having stumped the state with the liberal republican opposition to Grant, and been mentioned as its possible candidate for the presidency; died at Mankato, Minn., January 13, 1885.

James G. Blaine, of Maine,

the next speaker of the house, also served three terms of two years each. Mr. Blaine was born in Pennsylvania, at West Brownsville, January 31, 1830. He removed to Maine soon after graduating from Washington college, and was editor of the Portland Advertiser for a time. In 1862 he was elected to congress, and was re-elected five times. He filled the unexpired term of Lot M. Morrill in the United States senate, and occupied the seat for the subsequent term, ending March 4, 1883; was Garfield's secretary of state, appointed March 5, 1881, and resigned in December following; holds the same position in Harrison's cabinet; has been several times an aspirant for nomination for the presidency on the republican ticket; received the nomination in the Chicago convention in 1884, and was defeated by Cleveland.

From December 6, 1875, to August 20, 1876, the speaker of the house was

Michael C. Kerr, of Indiana.

He was born near Titusville, Pa., March 15, 1827, studied law at the University of Louisville, and began practice in New Albany, Ind. He was a member of the state legislature in 1856; elected to congress as a democrat in 1864, and served until his death at Rockbridge Alum Springs, Va., Aug. 19, 1876.

In the second session of the forty-fourth congress, and in the forty-fifth and forty-sixth congresses, the speaker of the house was

Samuel J. Randall, of Pennsylvania.

He was born in Philadelphia, Oct. 10, 1828, and after reaching manhood was engaged in the iron business in that city. His first political affiliation was with the whig party, but in 1856 he was elected to the state senate as a democrat, serving until 1859. He was in the cavalry service in the first part of the civil war until elected to congress in 1862, and when Washington was menaced in 1863 he served as a volunteer, commanding a troop of horse and as provost marshal of the District of Columbia. He remained a member of the house of representatives from his election in 1863 until his death, which occurred at Wenonah, N. J., April 13, 1890. Mr. Randall was a man of marked force of character, a powerful debater, and his ability as a statesman was recognized by his appointment as chairman of many important committees during his long service in congress. He was speaker during the turmoil of the cession following the electoral steal, and though he had opposed the appointment of the commission, after it was instituted he advocated the acceptance of its decisions. In 1883 he was again elected speaker, but was defeated by Carlisle, after a bitter contest in caucus and his opposition to the Morrison and Mills tariff bills placed him in a lower plane as a democratic statesman than his earlier services had won for him.

J. Warren Keifer, of Ohio,

Speaker in the Forty-seventh congress, was born and educated in Ohio, served in the civil war, and was brevetted major-general of volunteers at muster out; member of the Ohio senate, 1868-9; member of congress, 1877-85; speaker of the house, December 5, 1881, to March 3, 1883.

The next speaker, elected in December, 1883, re-elected in 1885, and again in 1887, serving six years,

John G. Carlisle, of Kentucky.

Mr. Carlisle is a Kentuckian by birth, born in what is now Kenton (that part of Campbell) county, September 5, 1835. In 1858 he was admitted to the bar in Kentucky; during the war opposed secession; in 1836 and in 1869 was a member of the state senate; lieutenant-governor of Kentucky, 1871-5; elected to congress in March, 1875, and by re-elections remained a member of the house until he took his seat in the United States senate. Mr. Carlisle is on every question of governmental policy a representative democrat.

In the Fifty-first Congress

The speaker of the house was Thomas B. Reed, of Maine, who has been a member of congress from that state since 1877, having previously served in both branches of the state legislature, and two years as states attorney-general. Mr. Reed is a strikingly fit representative of New England republicanism, and the narrow policy it advocates in governmental affairs.

Summary.

Fourteen of the 48 states have furnished these 31 speakers: Kentucky, Virginia and Massachusetts, four each; Pennsylvania and Indiana, three each; Maine, New Jersey, Tennessee and South Carolina, two each; New York, Connecticut, Ohio, North Carolina and Georgia, one each.

It is a high honor to be chosen speaker of the house of representatives, but that has been the limit of the ambition of few who have achieved the honor. Several have aspired to the presidency, among whom may be mentioned Blaine, Bell, Banks, Clay, Carlisle, Colfax, and Randall. The only speaker who reached the White House was James K. Polk. Several speakers were prominently mentioned for vice-president; only one was elected, Colfax.

Four speakers have been members of the cabinet. Clay and Blaine, secretaries of state; Bell, secretary of war; Cobb, secretary of the treasury. One has been associate justice of the United States supreme court, Barbour. Two have held important positions abroad, Stevenson, minister to England; Orr, minister to Russia. Six have been governors of states, Muhlenberg, Polk, Davis, Cobb, Banks and Orr. Ten have been United States senators: Dayton, Sedgwick, Macon, Varnum, Clay, Bell, Hunter, Winthrop, Blaine and Carlisle.

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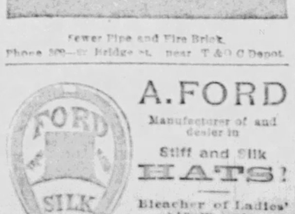

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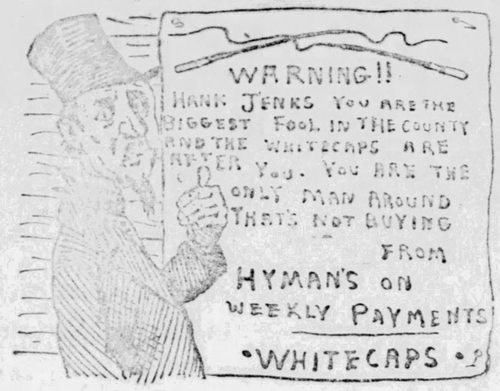

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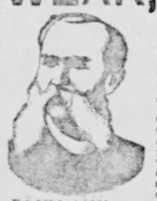

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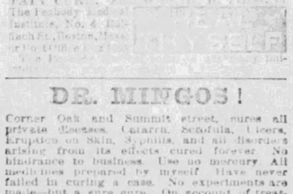

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The Work of the Session Commenced To-Day.

All the Candidates Actively at Work.

Mills and Crisp in the Lead, with the Other Gentlemen Trailing Along with the Hope That There May Be a Break in the Ranks of the Leaders.

Washington, Dec. 5.—One-half of congress—the house of representatives—practically opened to-day with the caucus for the speakership.

Though only democratic members were present they were so numerous that they nearly filled the floor. Most of the usual scenes of handshaking and exchange of congratulations usually accompanying the opening day were anticipated. The almost unbroken record of 20 years as to favorable weather for the beginning of the session was maintained. Bright sunshine, a cloudless sky and pleasant breezes made the day perfect.

The hall of the house looked fresh and pretty—re-carpeted in bright terra cotta, re-painted and shining with gilt and varnish. A group of Texan members were first to arrive and sat for an hour or more in earnest conversation with Judge Holman. The New York members came next and inquired earnestly among each other as to absentees, Mr. Stahlnecker and one or two others being reported missing.

Mr. Holman said to a United Press reporter that the statement that he had declared himself in favor of Mills was untrue. "I am uncommitted as yet," he added, "to any of the candidates and I shall go into the caucus and vote for the man I consider the most eligible. What my vote will be depends upon subsequent events."

In the galleries some spectators had taken up positions of advantage and seemed much surprised when the doorkeepers ordered them out and closed the galleries.

A pleasant diversion was afforded in the interval before the commencement of the caucus by the hanging of Sargeant's fine painting of Speaker Reed in the members' corridor among the other portraits of the ex-speakers. Mr. Reed is hung between the crayon sketches of Carlisle and Keifer in a bad light which rather spoils the effect of the picture.

Mr. Mills was one of the first candidates to arrive on the ground. He had his headquarters in his own committee room, the ways and means, and remained there most of the time with closed doors, consulting with his friends.

All the other candidates were on the other side of the house. Mr. Hatch took possession of the naval affairs committee in the corner. He was the only aspirant who had a headquarters sign out.

Mr. Springer was three doors removed in the committee room of rivers and harbors.

Mr. McMillan had the main room of the committee on appropriations, and Judge Crisp took the sub-committee room adjoining.

McMillan and Springer stood together outside their rooms pleasantly "chaffing" each other on their prospects for quite a time.

Judge Crisp sat facing the open door, his clean cut face beaming with smiles of confidence. Bynum and other active friends of Mr. Mills kept up a constant interchange of mysterious whispering with the adherents of both Mr. Hatch and Mr. Springer, and passed backwards and forwards between the respective committee rooms with eager haste.

Shortly before 2 o'clock the floor of the house was cleared of all but members of the caucus, and the serious work of the day began.

The caucus was called to order at 2:10 by Mr. Holman, of Indiana, chairman of the caucus, and the work of organization was begun at once.

The caucus has decided to take an open ballot. This is regarded as in Crisps' favor. He advocated it and Mills did not.

The roll-call of the caucus discloses the presence of 227 members. There were seven absentees, including the five candidates. This makes the number necessary to nominate 114.

2:41 p. m.—Nominations for speaker have been made as follows in the order given: Mills by Culberson, Springer by Newberry, McMillin by Richardson, Crisp by Blount, Hatch by Bland.

First Ballot.

Crisp	83
Mills	74
Springer	33
Hatch	14
McMillin	19
Stevens	1
Total	224

Second Ballot.

Crisp	88
Mills	79
Springer	29
McMillan	18
Hatch	13

This ballot was disputed and is being taken over again.

THE CHURCHES.

Themes Which Several of the Pastors Will Discuss To-morrow.

Bartlett Street church, Disciples of Christ, J. L. McDonald, pastor: All services as usual to-morrow.

St. Stephen's Lutheran church, corner of Oliver and Harrison streets: Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; no preaching.

St. John the Evangelist, Eleventh street, near Washington street, Rev. D. A. Bowman, pastor: Second Sunday in Advent, services at 11 a. m.

St. Andrew's chapel, Auburndale: Sunday school, 3 p. m.; evening prayer and sermon by Rev. Chas. Scadding, 4 p. m.; baptism service, 4:30 p. m.

Grace church: 10 a. m., morning prayer, sermon on "The Greatest Book on Earth;" communion; 7:30 p. m., evening prayer, sermon by Rev. Ephriam Wett.

Eleventh Street church of Christ, (Christian), between Madison and Jefferson: Morning service 10:30; Sunday school, 12 m.; Y. P. S. C. E., 6:30 p. m.; missionary services, 7:30 p. m., by Sunday school.

The Oliver Baptist church, Segur avenue, near Broadway, Rev. Wm. Sheridan, pastor: Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m. This church will be dedicated one week from to-morrow in the afternoon.

Unitarian, Church of Our Father, Memorial hall annex: To-morrow morning Rev. A. G. Jennings will speak on "Card Playing and Other Amusements;" Sunday school at noon, subject in adult class, "Socialism."

Third Street M. E. church, Rev. S. L. Roberts, pastor: Class meeting, 9:30 a. m.; preaching, 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 12 m.; young people's meeting, 6:15 p. m.; preaching, 7:30 p. m.; prayer meeting Thursday night, 7:30 p. m.

St. Mark's church, Collingwood avenue, Rev. E. Watt, rector: Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon at 11:00 a. m.; evening prayer and sermon at 7:30 p. m.; holy communion first Sunday of each month, 11:00 a. m.

First Congregational church: Rev. D. M. Fisk will preach in the morning at 10:30 on "Head Conviction; Heart Adoption." In the evening Rev. Chauncey N. Pond, of Oberlin, will occupy the pulpit. Sunday school, 12 m.; Y. P. S. C. E., 6:30 p. m.

Martin Luther church, corner of Oak and Woodville streets, East Toledo, Rev. E. L. T. Engers, pastor: Sunday school (English and German) at 9 a. m.; English service at 10:30 a. m.; German service at 7:30 p. m.; church council meeting at 12:30 p. m.

First Presbyterian church, Huron, corner of Orange, Rev. J. A. P. McGaw, pastor: Subject of morning sermon, "Trusting God in Stormy Times;" Sunday school at 12; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m.; evening service at 7:30, subject, "Ways of Dealing with Poverty."

St. Paul's M. E. church, corner Madison and Superior streets, Rev. S. D. Hutsinpiller, pastor: Class at 9:00; preaching by the pastor at 10:30 and 7:30; Sunday school at noon; Epworth league at 6:30. Miss Grace Reals will sing both morning and evening in the choir.

Central Congregational church, corner Adams and Tenth streets, H. M. Bacon, D. D., pastor: Morning service at 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 12 o'clock; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:15 p. m.; evening service at 7:30 o'clock, subject, "The Twelve Apostles of the Lamb."

Trinity church, Rev. Chas. Scadding, rector: The services to-morrow, second Sunday in advent, will be: 9:45 a. m., Sunday school; 11, holy communion and sermon; 7:30, evening prayer and sermon. Strangers cordially welcomed, and will be provided with leaflet, giving full order of service.

First Baptist church, Huron street, near Cherry, Rev. Wm. H. Sloan, pastor: Preaching to-morrow morning at 10:30 o'clock, subject, "The Treasures of the Snow;" Sunday school at noon; meeting of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m.; song and praise service at 7:30 p. m.

St. John's M. E. church, Magnolia street: The pastor, Rev. A. J. Fish, will preach both morning and evening. Morning prelude, the oldest Christian hymn in the world; morning subject, "Shall Man Have a Second Probation?" In the evening, "Tekel, or, How Much do You Weigh?" There are large congregations and excellent music at this church. All are cordially invited and made welcome.

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Sir Edwin Arnold is at the Boody.

Mr. F. P. Flowers is on the sick list.

Rev. S. D. Conger has returned from Clyde.

Mr. Dan Keeler and wife are in New Orleans.

Mrs. G. S. Eggerman has returned from Detroit.

S. B. Smith, of Sandusky, is at the Hamilton.

Judge G. F. Pendleton, of Findlay, is at the Boody.

The Fifth ward euchre club meets Saturday evenings.

The Young People's Pleasure club held a meeting last night.

Mrs. Ward King, of Van Wert, is visiting relatives in the city.

Mrs. N. W. Eddy will be among the entertainers next week.

Miss Carrie Jewett entertained a number of friends last evening.

Miss Tyler, of Rochester, is visiting Mrs. Schwitzer, of Lagrange street.

J. C. Hull of Swanton and C. F. Hall of Kansas City are at the Jefferson.

Mr. Dare Dull spent a few days in the city with his brother, Mr. N. Dull.

Frank Geyer, proprietor of the Empire house at Tiffin, is at the Hamilton.

Miss Mae Russell will sing at the Central Congregational church to-morrow.

Mrs. Hine leaves next week for Old Mexico, to be absent during all winter.

Mrs. Clarence W. Snyder will visit her sister, Mrs. Reardon, of Dallas, Tex., this season.

Miss Jennie Dull expects Miss Ollie Ford, of Bowling Green, to be her guest over Sunday.

Mrs. Effie Black, of Dundee, who has been a guest at Mr. A. Austin's, returned home last night.

Mrs. M. C. Moore and Master Ed will return to Marietta, Ga., as soon as Master Ed is able.

Miss Belle Huffman, of Lagrange street, gave a party in honor of her birthday, last evening.

Miss Georgie Bennett, of Detroit, is visiting Mrs. E. M. Bateman and doing studio art work for Christmas.

Paragon council, No. 31, N. U., gave a party to its members last evening. The occasion was a very pleasant one.

Miss Aggie Conway and Miss Myrtle Potter have accepted positions at Brokaw's bazaar during the holidays.

Mrs. Jesse Patterson, who has been ill for some time, is reported as being worse. Her many friends will regret to learn this.

Miss M. C. Wright will be guest at Hotel Ontario Monday, during the art display mentioned elsewhere in the Bee.

Mr. Maurice Scott has rented his elegant Monroe street home to Gov. J. M. Ashley during the absence of his family in California.

Mrs. Tom Parkhurst, who has been very low for several weeks past, and unable to take any nourishment, is now reported as improving very nicely.

Mr. Frank Lewis, assistant chief clerk of the railway mail service, of Chattanooga, Tenn., was Miss Florence Tracy's guest to-day, at 318 Michigan street.

Mrs. Jeff. C. Miller, of Dallas, Tex., entertained an Ohio dinner party Thanksgiving, of which Mr. and Mrs. George W. Foster, formerly of this city, were guests.

Judge Darius Cadwell, one of Cleveland's eminent jurists, was in our city the past week in attendance upon the United States court, giving his friends the pleasure of social calls.

Miss Carrie Moore gave a card party last evening in honor of Miss Hadley of Pittsburg, Pa. Refreshments were served during the evening and the affair was an exceedingly pleasant one.

The ladies guild of St. Andrew's mission gave an enjoyable supper at the chapel last evening from 5 till 8 o'clock, after which a social was indulged in. The affair was a success financially and socially.

Last evening Mr. C. E. B. Lamson, of 2242 Parkwood avenue, entertained a few of the many friends of D. Brownell, of Atlanta, Ga., who is making a short visit here. Mr. Brownell was formerly of Toledo.

The following ladies and gentlemen went out to the asylum last night and had a very pleasant evening, being most courteously treated by the officials: Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Gilday of Monroe, Mich., Mr. and Mrs. Duffy and Miss Karnany.

The Misses Halpin, of Buckeye street, entertained a number of their friends last evening. Cards and dancing were enjoyed, after which dainty refreshments were served. Among the guests were the Misses Duffy, Minnie Snyder, Florence Tracy, Anweiler, Fender, Mrs. Wright and Messrs. Albright, Harmon and the Serenading club.

Miss Rose Clouse gave a delightful musicale at her studio Thursday evening in honor of Miss Farrell, of Detroit, a talented violinist. An enjoyable program was arranged and participated in by the Misses Clouse, Fisk, Farrell, Brucksieker, Schunck, Trost, and Messrs. Lewis and Colton.

The yearly business meeting of the Young People's society of the Ashland avenue Baptist church was held at their chapel last evening. The past year has been a successful one for the society, showing a large increase of membership. Mr. Frank W. Annin was re-elected president, Miss Warner vice-president, Miss Belford re-elected secretary, and Mr. Rhoads treasurer.

"SLUGGED,"

Reply of Harvey McDonald to a Policeman.

Probable Fatal Ending of a Saloon Row,

Which Occurred at Midnight Last Night—The Victim Unconscious and Likely to Die.

Toledo comes to the front again with a saloon row that results in a stabbing and probably murder. The victim is Harvey McDonald, a well-known tough character about town, and his assassin belongs to a gang of young desperadoes, all of whom have been arrested, but which one of whom did the cutting is not positively known as yet.

Last night about 11:45 Detective Tom O'Brien and Patrolman Dougherty were standing on the corner of St. Clair and Washington streets when their attention was attracted to a man who staggered up against a telegraph pole and leaned against it. Their first impression was that the man was drunk, and stepping up to him O'Brien recognized Harvey McDonald and asked what was the matter. He received no answer, and taking hold of the man asked him again what was the matter.

"Are you drunk or slugged?" said O'Brien.

"Slugged," answered McDonald in a weak voice, and this was all he could say.

At this instant O'Brien noticed that his shirt front was cut and there was some blood on the bosom. He, with Dougherty, then attempted to assist McDonald to the station, but they had gone only a short distance when the injured man fainted, and they were obliged to carry him to the station, where he was placed on a cot in one of the front rooms on the first floor.

Here his shirt was cut off, and a deep and wide stab wound was discovered just over the right lung, and his clothes were full of blood. Dr. Becker, district physician, was called and administered to McDonald, but offered no hopes for his recovery. Dr. Pooley was also called during the night, but could do nothing.

McDonald did not regain consciousness, and up to noon to-day was not dead, although death was expected every moment.

Chasing the Murderous Gang.

As O'Brien and Dougherty were carrying McDonald to the station a young man who was standing near by told O'Brien that the wounded man had been "done up" by Jerry Coakley and his gang a few minutes before.

Young Coakley and his companions are a hard lot, well known in police circles, and have often been in trouble before, although not so serious as this. As soon as O'Brien had gotten McDonald safely into the station and informed Lieut. Robinson of what had happened, he started down Superior street toward Washington and saw the gang on the corner. They sighted him at about the same time, and at once scattered in all directions, up the street into dark alleys and over fences. A hot chase was at once instituted, but the fellows all got away from O'Brien that time.

Chief O'Dwyer was at once notified, and the day force of detectives and a number of patrolmen were ordered out. All the usual exits from the city were guarded and a thorough search instituted for the murderous brawlers. The result was that by this morning the whole gang, consisting of six young fellows, were landed safely in the police station by different officers.

Those arrested are Daniel Kinney, aged 19; Tim Kinney, aged 19; Frank Murphy, 24; Jerry Coakley, 20; John Crowley, 19, and George Brown, aged 20.

These young fellows are a hard lot, and several of them are not unacquainted with the workhouse. Just which one did the cutting is not known, but appearances point very strongly to young Jerry Coakley, who was the leader of the gang.

It Started in a Saloon.

The facts previous to the cutting as ascertained this morning are that this crowd of young fellows were carousing around the saloons in the vicinity of Market Space last night, and finally went into the "Brunswick" on Washington street, near Superior, with McDonald. Here Coakley and McDonald played a game of euchre, while the others watched them. The players quarreled considerably, and after finishing the game had a row as to who should pay for the drinks until the landlady put them out. The quarrel continued on the street, and the whole crowd jumped on McDonald, and during the melee the gang cut him and left him, and he walked down Washington street to St. Clair, where he was found by the officers.

Lou Palmer, landlady of the Brunswick, when interviewed by a Bee said: "McDonald and Coakley were playing cards in my place last evening, while the other fellows were standing around watching the game. They had considerable jangling over the cards, and when the game was finished McDonald wanted to get the drinks on tick. This I refused him, and Coakley began abusing him for not paying for the drinks, saying, 'I'll do you up for this before the night is over.' I did not want a disturbance in my place, and so ordered them all out. Coakley and his gang went out first, and McDonald followed soon after. Then they got into another row on the sidewalk between my place and Superior street, and soon all the fellows ran away. Some one told me that McDonald had been slugged, but I did not know that he had been stabbed until later, when the officers came in and told me of it."

The story of the bartender was precisely the same as that of Mrs. Palmer, and he also stated that none of the men were intoxicated, although all had been drinking.

The fellows at the station are all locked up in different cells, and one of them, John Crowley, is in the padded cell, which is located in the room where McDonald lies dying, and the results of his carouse was before his eyes all morning.

George Brown, one of the lads arrested, was interviewed by a Bee, but states that he did not see the cutting. "I was with Coakley and the other fellows," said he, "and we met McDonald on Washington street. He invited us in to have a game of cards and we all went in. He and Coakley were the only ones that had any money, and so they played a game of euchre. When it was finished McDonald tried to get the drinks on "tick," but the woman wouldn't have it that way.

Coakley called McDonald names for inviting him in and then not paying for the drinks. McDonald told him not to be so fresh and wanted to fight. Jerry then shoved him over against the pool table. By this time the landlady and some fellows with her drove us out of the saloon. McDonald came out last, and when he was on the sidewalk he kicked at Coakley and ran towards Superior street. The gang ran after him, but I went the other way, toward St. Clair street. In a little while McDonald came back past me, staggering and the officers picked him up on the corner. I told O'Brien that Coakley and his gang had done him up. I didn't see them jump on McDonald. What I have told you is the truth and all I know about it."

The boy was much affected over the result of the night and appeared truthful. Officer O'Brien stated that Brown was on the corner of St. Clair street, and did tell him of Coakley and the others.

Daniel Kinney, who was arrested soon after midnight in Kelley's saloon on the market space, claims that he was in Kelley's all the time and was not with the others at the Brunswick.

John Crowley was anything but pleased with his position in the padded cell so near the dying man, and begged to be placed somewhere else, promising to tell all about the affair. He was taken up to the sergeant's office, and in the presence of a Bee told to the chief the following story:

"I was with Jerry Coakley, Tim Kinney and George Brown. After going into several saloons we met McDonald and Murphy on Washington street, at the Brunswick, and Murphy introduced McDonald to Coakley. McDonald offered to play a game of cards and we all went in. He and Coakley played a game of euchre, and Coakley won.

"McDonald ordered the drinks, but the woman wanted to see his money. He said he had none but was good for it. She said he was not good for it in that house, and she and McDonald disputed some time. Then Coakley said, 'This is a pretty way to do, invite a man in to play cards when you have no money.' McDonald and Coakley had some words and sparred a little in fun, and then Tim Kinney hit McDonald. I wanted Coakley to come away, and finally we went out, and after us the woman pushed out McDonald.'

We started toward St. Clair street and McDonald followed us. We told him not to, and went back to where he was; then he kicked Kinney, and I saw him reach in his hip pocket and take out something which I thought was a knife. I called to Jerry, 'Look out, he has a knife,' and tried to get him away, but he and Kinney went for McDonald, and after a scuffle McDonald fell down.

"I was a little way off from them, and only Tim Kinney and Jerry Coakley were near McDonald. I went on down to St. Clair street, and then went to Gradolph's restaurant on Summit street, and got something to eat. I didn't know at the time that McDonald was stabbed."

Coakley was intervied in his cell by a Bee, and his story previous to going into the Brunswick was the same as the others. "I beat him at euchre," said Coakley, "and he ordered the drinks. He had no money and disputed with the woman, but she would not give us anything to drink. Then we went out, and when on the ouside McDonald kicked Kinney in the stomach. He then drew a knife and rushed at me, but I dodged him, and hit him in the neck with my fist as he went past. He started for me again and fell down in the road flat on his face.

"Kinney, Crawley and I then walked away, and afterwards went to Gradolph's and had something to eat, after which I went home. I did not know that McDonald was cut until this morning."

"Did any one strike at McDonald while in the saloon?" asked the Bee.

"No, the first blow was when McDonald kicked Kinney."

"While in the saloon did you threaten to do up McDonald before the night was over?"

"I never made any such threat."

He then volunteered the suggestion that McDonald might have cut himself by falling on his own knife.

By this it will be seen that all of the stories agree except that of Coakley, which differs from the others on several points.

The Victim.

The cut which McDonald received is about three inches long and very deep, across the right breast and piercing the upper part of the lung. He lost much blood, and the physicians think there has also been an internal hemorrhage. The only word he has spoken was the one word, "slugged," when picked up by the officers.

Harvey McDonald is 35 years old and has had a checkered career, being a notorious thief and crook. He has served three terms in the penitentiary, and at present is an escaped prisoner from the workhouse. He has respectable connections, however, whom he has caused much trouble and sadness. His sister is the wife of Capt. Al Fitts, one of the best known tug men in the harbor, and at present in command of the big steel tug S. C. Schenck. During the past season Harvey has been working about the docks and on the tug. He also has a brother, Ed McDonald, a railroad switchman.

Through all his misdeeds his sister, Mrs. Fitts, has been a faithful friend to Harvey, and has tried hard to save him from himself, but to no avail. When notified last night she hastened to his side at the station, and has been with him most of the time since. His brother Ed. and wife and others have also watched with the wounded man and nursed him.

Harvey McDonald began early his career of crime, and married a woman as bad as himself. She was known as "French Ann," and was a large, coarse-featured woman, as strong as a man.

About ten years ago she dressed in men's clothes and was her husband's pal in a series of depredations and burglaries through Crawford and Wyandot counties. Both were finally captured and sent to the penitentiary. The woman afterwards died. Harvey also served two other terms for house-breaking, the last of which occurred in this city a few years ago. He has been up for innumerable petty crimes and when in the city was always under the eye of the police. At last he has reaped the fruits of his career in a stab wound which will probably result in his death.

McDonald's Condition.

McDonald had not gained consciousness this afternoon, and was fast growing weaker every moment. The doctor visited him about 1 o'clock and said that he was dying fast.

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NO. 9 LAUNCHED.

Baltimore, Dec. 5.—The United States cruiser No. 9 to-day named the Montgomery was launched at the Columbia iron works at 11:13 o'clock.

"THE COLUMBUS OF TO-DAY"

Is what John Bright called Cyrus W. Field in the house of commons. This American had told the world that the Atlantic could be wired and he had just done it. Mr. Field will describe the enormous difficulties of laying the cable, in the Youth's Companion.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

President W. I. Squire called on Major McKinley at his home in Canton yesterday.

A marriage license was issued to-day to Frank Gibbon and Mrs. E. Celinda Whitney.

Two new Pullman cars were shipped yesterday to the Consolidated Street Railway company.

The Children's home trustees met yesterday afternoon and approved the usual monthly bills. The school is in excellent condition.

The adjourned yearly meeting of the Young Men's league of the Ashland avenue Baptist church will be held next Wednesday evening.

Prosecutor Barber to-day entered a nollie in the case against Charles Swinghammer, indicted on the charge of grand larceny. Swinghammer, it was alleged, stole wheat from a farmer in Monclova township.

The friends of Probate Judge Millard presented him with an elegant gold-headed umbrella at noon to-day. The judge was taken completely by surprise and responded in a few pleasant words. He sent out for a box of good cigars and passed them around.

Maumee Valley lodge, No. 515, I. O. O. F., will celebrate the taking up of the last of the Odd Fellows' temple bonds, with a complimentary ball and supper on Thursday evening, December 17. Wolff's orchestra will be present and a large number of invitations have been sent out.

The cross-walk at the corner of Monroe street and Lawrence avenue—the cross-walk—well, there isn't anything bad enough to say about it. If the city fathers should attempt to cross the walk at that point they would simply sink. Already several pairs of rubbers have been seen floating around, the owners probably having struck China by this time.

Garfield Tea is the tired housewife's best friend, freeing the body from aches and pains, creating a buoyancy of spirits and lovely complexion.

BISHOP WADHAMS DEAD.

Ogdensburg, N. Y., Dec. 5.—Rt. Rev. Edgar E. P. Wadhams, bishop of the diocese of Ogdensburg, who has been ill for some time, died at the Episcopal residence in this city this morning aged 74 years.

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SOME SPICY CURRENT TOPICS

Of Local and Neighborhood Interest.

Notes and Comments on Incidents Occurring Daily—Prepared for Readers Who are Hustled for Time.

PRESSMAN INJURED.

Henry Galbraith, a pressman at the Bee job rooms on St. Clair street, was injured about the chest this afternoon, while assisting to lower a barrel of oil into the cellar. He was taken to his home on Segur avenue in the ambulance.

SMALL FIRE.

A fire broke out about 6:30 last evening in Donovan's block and tackle works on Water street, but was soon extinguished by the department. The fire started in the furnace room, and the damage will amount to about $500, fully insured.

PATTEN GUILTY OF ASSAULT.

The jury in the case of the State against Samuel Patten, on hearing in Judge Harmon's court, returned a verdict of assault, late yesterday afternoon. Patten was indicted on the charge of shooting with intent to kill. He was admitted to $500 bail.

ADVENT SERMONS.

Rev. Father Wm. Burns will give the second of his course of advent sermons to-morrow evening at St. Francis de Sales church. Those who were so fortunate as to hear Father Burns last Sunday evening will be pleased to learn the course is to be continued, and to have an opportunity to listen to him again.

THAT LUMBER SUIT.

The case of John P. Allison against Whitney & Tracy was taken up in Judge Lemmon's court to-day. The plaintiff has claim of $1,000 against the defendants and seeks to include Doria Tracy as a member of the firm, while the defense sets up that the firm was limited.

DIED FROM HIS INJURIES.

Dr. E. Smith, who was run over by a Belt line car on Washington street yesterday morning, died about 7 o'clock last evening, after suffering terrible agonies. Several relatives who were sent for have arrived in the city and will take the remains to Boise City, accompanied by the grief-stricken daughter.

MR. WALBRIDGE'S CORRECTION.

Mr H. S. Walbridge is reported to have said at the gas committee meeting Thursday night that he would not accept the $1-ordinance and nothing less than $1.20. What he did say was to the effect that he could not accept the $1-ordinance and could not afford to make gas for less than $1.20.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION.

Articles of incorporation of the Toledo Rolling Stock company was filed at the county recorder's office to-day.

The company consists of the following: Sheldon S. Reynolds, Charles L. Reynolds, Abraham W. Cotton, Fred J. Reynolds and Emery D. Potter, jr. The capital stock is $1,000,000, divided into 10,000 shares of $100 each. The objects of the incorporation are the leasing, purchasing, selling and dealing in railroad cars of every description.

TAYLOR & LAZENBY IN TROUBLE.

Yesterday afternoon at 3:30 the New York Biscuit company took judgment in common pleas court against Taylor & Lazenby, bakers and confectioners, on Monroe street, on a cognovit note in the sum of $1,791.51.

The note was given yesterday morning on an account, and about 4 o'clock Sheriff Stuart levied on the store property and stock. Business has been suspended for a time, but is probable that pending difficulties will be amicably settled.

AT THE Y. M. C. A. TO-MORROW.

The young men's gospel song service to be held in association hall, corner Summit and Orange streets, at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon, will be addressed by a Mr. C. H. Lambie (a commercial traveler) and all the young men who choose to accept the invitation to attend will hear a straight talk. There will be good music provided.

The boys' rally at 3 o'clock in the same place will be of interest. Mr. Willard Smith is to talk about "Victors." Let there be a large attendance.

WORLD'S FAIR EXHIBIT.

The Central Chandelier company are arranging for an exhibit at the world's fair. The business of this company is increasing rapidly, and it has far more orders than it is able to fill at present. Letters are received almost daily, from nearly all sections of the United States, telling how highly purchasers are pleased with the quality of work furnished. Nothing is allowed to leave the factory unless it is perfect in every respect, and this of course, accounts for the company's gratifying success.

"MICKEY" SHEA GETS THERE.

A dispatch from Washington announces the appointment of John Shea, better known about the city as "Mickey" Shea, as a page in the national house of representatives, and he will leave at once to accept the position. Shea is a hustler, bright in every respect and had the indorsement of most of the prominent democrats in the city. There is no telling where Shea will stop, now that he has a start in national life. That he will attend to his duties in a satisfactory manner goes without saying.

VERDICT FOR MARY HANNIN.

In the case of Mary Hannin against James J. Malone et al., the jury this morning returned a verdict for the plaintiff and fixed the damages at $1,850. It was an action to recover $10,000 damages for injury sustained in a runaway. It seems the plaintiff was attending the funeral of Declan Allen, which occurred last February, and was being conducted by the defendant James J. Malone. A team ran away and Mrs. Hannin jumped from a closed carriage and broke her right ankle. She charged negligence and carelessness. The case will be appealed to the circuit court.

A NARROW ESCAPE.

Yesterday Frank Metzger was driving into town with a load of hay, and the strong wind overturned the load on Oak street. Mr. Metzger went down under the hay, and a pitchfork in the load pinned him down. Mr. Metzger was extricated, and Dr. Fred Jaeger attended to his injuries. It was found the tines of the fork had penetrated his upper arm and forearm, just missing a main artery. The injury is not serious, but it was a narrow escape for Mr. Metzger. A couple of bushels of apples were on the load, and these were widely scattered in the overturn, greatly to the joy of the small boys along Oak street.

SIXTEENTH ANNIVERSARY.

The Junior Bible class of the West Toledo M. E. church will observe its sixteenth anniversary next Wednesday evening. This celebration is always interesting, and it will be none the less so this time. The program includes opening anthems and prayer, and then the following:

Dialogue—Misses Mina Cranker and Carrie Reynolds.
Music.
Address—Rev. S. D. Hutsinpiller.
Music.
Recitation—The New Church Organ—J. L. Hecox.
Essay—Mrs. Ira Balton.
Quartette—Good Night—Mrs. S. Cranker, Miss Haddie Hecox, Messrs. Hecox and Miller.

After the exercises given above, a supper will be served and an hour of social time passed.

ST. PAUL'S CHAPTER.

The Epworth league connected with St. Paul's M. E. church, had a delightful entertainment last evening in the church parlors. The title of the arrangement which afforded the amusement was "The Homaphone," and served its purpose very well. The necessary fixings being as follows: "The Bees," chorus by the league; piano solo, Miss Hattie Lang; "A Sunday School Scholar," George Poggett, W. S. Herron, W. Lasky and D. O. Douglass; banjo solo, Alfred Merrill, in which were introduced several "instruments" not banjos; reading, George Poggett; "Our National Air," chorus by the league; solo, Miss Louise Adams. The various participants acquitted themselves very creditably, and it is not unlikely there will be a repetition of the "Homa" in the near future.

CHURCH DEDICATION.

To-morrow the new Fifth Presbyterian church will be dedicated. There will be services at 10:30 o'clock in the morning, conducted by Rev. C. C. Craig, a Professor in a Theological school in Chicago, assisted by the pastor, Rev. S. D. Conger. Regular dedication exercises will occur in the afternoon at 3 o'clock, conducted by Rev. C. C. Craig, assisted by Rev. J. P. McGaw, Rev. B. K. Ormond and the pastor, S. D. Conger. Young people's meeting at 6:15 o'clock. Evening services at 7:30 o'clock, when there will be preaching by Rev. Craig. A general invitation is extended to the public to be present at one or all of these services.

COMPLIMENTS FOR TOLEDO PEOPLE.

The Bee's Oak Harbor correspondent sends the following complimentary letter concerning the entertainment given by the Whitings and Miss Doolittle at that place last night:

"The Whiting Male quartet, of Toledo, gave a grand musical concert at the opera house last night. It was the second entertainment given by the Alumni society. The house was packed, and each number was applauded to the echo. Miss Doolittle accompanied the quartet in several selections and proved a great favorite. She was recalled each time. Miss Whiting's piano numbers were happy in their effect. The lecture course has been a great success this winter, and the Whitings proved a great hit."

FORD POST OFFICIALS.

The annual election of officers occurred at Ford post headquarters in East Toledo last evening, resulting as follows:

Commander—Thomas Crofts.
Senior vice—W. T. Ryan.
Junior vice—J. L. Barrett.
Chaplain—J. L. Barrett.
Surgeon—Dr. Fred Jaeger.
Officer of the Day—Geo. F. Fowler.
Officer of the Guard—John Brown.
Quartermaster—George Scheets.
Historian—A. M. Conner.
Delegates to Department Encampment—Isaac Rideout, C. A. Riddle; alternates, M. A. Dowell, George White.

The election was followed by a program of recitations by members of the post, and a luncheon of sandwiches, doughnuts and coffee. The veterans enjoyed themselves hugely.

CHARLES SUMNER'S OFFICERS.

The following gentlemen were elected officers by Charles Sumner lodge, K. P., at their meeting last night:

P. C.—Karl A. Flickinger.
C. C.—Dr. L. T. Canfield.
V. C.—L. H. Colburn.
Prelate—W. H. Webster.
M. of A.—F. E. Blood.
K. of R. and S.—H. H. Dawson.
M. of E.—J. Austin, jr.
Trustees—J. Landgraf, jr., G. G. Grund, J. F. Newcomer.
Relief committee—J. W. Hepburn.
Building board—J. W. Greene.
Representative—J. W. Greene.
Alternate—J. Austin, jr.

After the election a cider and doughnut social was enjoyed. Cards and cigars were also indulged in, and a pleasant evening resulted.

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THE BLAINE DIVORCE.

Deadwood, S. D., Dec. 5.—A motion was filed here yesterday by Mrs. Mary Nevins Blaine asking for $1,000 temporary alimony and $500 attorneys fees. The hearing of the motion was set for December 20.

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BANK ROBBERS AT WORK.

Bellefontaine, O., Dec. 5.—The Belle Center bank safe was blown open with dynamite last night.

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FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral of Mrs. Ellen Duggan will take place from the vault at Calvary cemetery Tuesday, Dec. 8th, at 2 p. m. Friends invited. p

DOM PEDRO DEAD.

Paris, France, Dec. 5.—Dom Pedro, ex-emperor of Brazil, is dead. He was taken with a chill some days ago, which developed into pneumonia.

BAD SKIN ERUPTION

Many Years—All Manner of Medicines and Doctors Fail—Cured in One Month By Cuticura.

In 1885 I had an eruption come out on my skin, and while at first it did not amount to much, it grew to be very aggravating and at times unbearable. The skin would get hard, inflamed, and peel off, leaving an entire new skin, acting same way for weeks at a time, always worse at nights. Have tried all manner of medicines and had doctors prescribe to no effect. I bought a box of CUTICURA REMEDIES and used CUTICURA RESOLVENT for my blood. I am fully cured, and in less than a month. It was a most aggravating skin disease, and now I am enjoying ease and comfort. I have had untold benefits. Anyone trying CUTICURA REMEDIES cannot help but derive benefit. Anyone writing me will receive an answer and my adv

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TOLEDO, OHIO, DECEMBER 5, 1891.

This is the momentous day—Mills? Crisp? Springer? —? —?

As Sherman and Foraker each have a majority of the votes they should be well pleased with the situation.

If the weather would continue so delightfully mild as at present there would be gas fuel for everybody and to spare.

The readers of the Commercial-Gazette miss the old-time solidity of the paper which marked the best days of Dick Smith and Murat Halstead.

The sum and substance of the coroner's inquest of the frightful Lake Shore accident is that the rules of the yard contemplate reckless running of trains.

Gov. Campbell is reported dangerously ill at his residence in Columbus. People, irrespective of party, hope he may speedily be restored to good health, and that a bright future may be in store for him.

It may not be generally known, but it is a fact that the largest pension agency in this country is in Columbus, Ohio, perhaps the largest in the world. The number of pensioners on the rolls December 1 was 78,612.

The proposed Hawaiian treaty means free trade, pure, simple and unrestricted, between the islands and the states. Will the administration let go the McKinley part of the unrighteous combination and sanction this adherence to democratic policy?

Gov. McKinley announces that he will not take part in the senatorial contest. All the same his private secretary is one of Mr. Foraker's liveliest hustlers. Just how much of Mr. Boyle's work may properly be credited to his chief is left to speculation. Very likely, considerable.

On the second page of this impression of the Bee is a carefully prepared sketch of all the speakers of the national house of representatives. The preparation of this article involved much research and the dates and facts are historically accurate. The article is worthy of preservation.

The murderous assault upon Russell Sage in his office yesterday was undoubtedly the work of a crazy man, though in the discussion of the evils of our modern society and the resultant spread of socialistic and anarchistic teachings it is difficult sometimes to draw the fine line of distinction between insanity, crankism and revenge.

Providence, R. I., has elected a democratic mayor, the first since 1853. What wonder that there is great rejoicing in the staid old town. The last democratic rejoicing heard within the limits of Little Rhody was in 1887, when Davis was elected, the first democratic governor in thirty years. The present victory is claimed to be significant of the "more to follow."

The New Orleans Picayune remarks that "The patriotic song of 'The Letter that Never Came' is still good." If any one is disposed to write another pathetic song about "The letter that came and was delivered to the wrong fellow" it can be appropriately sung in Toledo. The system by which letters are being distributed in our postoffice just now suggests the topic.

The election of Mr. W. I. Squire as commander of Forsyth post is another evidence of the deserving recognition of this foremost citizen of Toledo. Squire is somewhat pugilistic in his methods, with enough of politics and diplomacy to win success at whatever he undertakes. In about four years he will be the republican candidate for governor of Ohio.

Cyrus W. Field, his daughter, his son's wife and his lunatic son are all in the near region of the Valley of the Shadow. Except the daughter, who is afflicted with internal cancer, the sorrow and sickness is all the direct result of the son's defalcations. The wonder is, will this fearful wreck of family and fortune be a warning and check to others who are putting irons in the same fire?

A "heavenly foot society" has been been formed in China, composed of young men pledged not to marry any woman whose feet are smaller than heaven intended them. So it would seem that China had progressive men, warring against the frightful deformity to which its women are subjected to. How would it do for the young men of our progressive republic to organize a "heavenly waist society," and so help along the dress reform movement?

The approval of the country must be given the paragraph in the report of the secretary of the interior which recommends the extension of the mammoth Redwood national park in California to take in and preserve more of these wonderful giants of the forest. Let the admonition be heeded early, that what the centuries have been perfecting for us in the wonder world be not despoiled by the vandal of destruction. The wonder is that any hand can be found to lay the ax at the root of a gigantic Sequoia, but that the destroyer is abroad is proven, hence the recommendation.

The Rochester Herald shows a bad understanding of official power and its limitations when it remarks, with sanction, that "The power of the speaker, if skillfully and bodly exercise, is enormous, and whoever holds the office comes next to the president in power and influence." To be sure the appointment of committees gives opportunity for an attempt to shape legislation, but the speaker of the house who is a patriot and in some degree a statesman as well, will not forget that he is a servant of the people, not a belted Boss boosted onto a pedestal, like the late unlamented Reed.

The Earl and Countess of Aberdeen are quietly here in our midst to see about an exhibition of Irish industries at the world's fair in Chicago. In 1857 the countess, by her own means and efforts, established the lace-making industry for which Ireland was once famous, in various cities of Ireland, and so encouraging has been the success of the enterprise, she not only desires an exhibition to be made at the fair, but will try to start the industry in this country. It is pleasant to record philanthropies like these occasionally, to offset the reports of court trials in which the titled aristocracy are involved.

INSINUATING POLITICS.

A Defiance republican newspaper insinuates very broadly that undue means have been brought to bear upon Gen. C. A. Flickinger in the present senatorial contest. Unquestionably this is a libel upon Mr. Flickinger's good name, still it is one of the curses of present political unrest that a man whom the people honor with an election to office at once becomes the target of persons who either thoughtlessly or maliciously attack his character. And there is little opportunity for redress from such characterless assaults. A man carries his honor with him into office. A story started in the heat of partisanship grows as it circulates, and be the subject of the attack never so innocent the stain remains; people are too free to believe what they read. This attack upon Mr. Flickinger is only one of thousands of similar instances. Those who best know the gentleman will repel the cowardly thrust, but hundreds will wonder if the accusation be true, and other hundreds, perhaps, will believe the story.

It is shameful politics, by no means confined to one political party. Only a few weeks ago a democratic newspaper in this senatorial district said of Senator McConica that because he did not rush into print to announce his preference for senator, he was waiting for the biggest offer of money. It was a brutal way to treat an honorable man, yet the words once printed are beyond recall, and Senator McConica will go to Columbus with that brand, just as Representative Flickinger must rest under the insinuating accusation.

That portion of the republican press which is so free with the talk of boodle since the November election supports Mr. Foraker. The attack is made upon Senator John Sherman, who is the peer of any republican in the United States senate, yet here in his own state are respectable newspapers of his own party who are accusing him and his agents of open bribery. To what a deplorable pass is American politics come, that such things be, and are considered legitimate methods of politics. The present senatorial struggle will leave damage spots of difficult eradication—damage spots on the bright escutcheon of honorable men, who, unfortunately for them, are elected to represent their fellow citizens in the general assembly of the state of Ohio. It is a shame, still there is little recourse. A bucketful of types will set a column of malicious accusation, directed by hateful spirit for meanly partisan purposes. The same types might print kindly, charitable, hopeful things, and even the man of the pencil would feel better, except he be the hater of his species, the partisan of depraved impulses, or the vindictive agent of motives that have no proper place in a fairly disposed American newspaper. The very dread of this pool of insinuation deters many honorable men from the paths of politics and office holding, yet in a republic of commanding greatness, office holding should be a duty as well as a pleasure.

THE SUGAR BOUNTY.

The sugar beet growers of California are afraid the bounty decreed them may not stay by. The Santa Cruz Sentinel has apprehension also lest competition may eventually hurt the business, and between the two possibilities of disaster "the business cease to be more profitable than the average of other staple enterprises." The sentiment in the quotation contains the gist and spirit of the whole tariff argument. A business aided by the government must promise to be more profitable than common "staple enterprises." It must be granted unusual favor, and not be expected to take the ups and downs of trade conditions with other enterprises. If remunerative profits are wrung from the people through the customs tax. A test case is to be made at once in the courts to determine whether the case is tried, and will bounties be sworn?

Another cryptogram has been discovered in Shakespeare's sonnets, proving that Bacon was the son of his queen. Prof. Owen of Detroit has adopted it in full, but what did Bacon do? If after all he was not the author of the sonnets, what was the use of his writing the cipher? Let the professor look in some other place, let's have 'em while we're about it.

If Mr. Bishop is indicted a cell may then be provided for him in the county jail, where the very best of food, cooked by the very best of cooks, can be had at county expense. This would probably not contradict the old Scriptural saying that "the poor shall have the gospel preached unto them."

The position of ultra-protectionists regarding the tariff is that it is a question of revenue and economical administration of public affairs, and get as much taxation out of each article as possible. Now, if bounties were paid on all goods grown that can make the plea of necessity for aid as just, where would be the benefit? The primary meaning of the tariff is discrimination—making one class of producers at the expense of another. It is a phase of the question that the high-tax advocates always avoid, because they cannot meet it. They generalize by saying if one class prospers, all prosper proportionately, a fallacy on the face of it as every observer knows and all history proves. An organ of this theory recently proclaimed that farms and market gardens always flourish if protected factories are placed in their midst. He didn't call attention to various manufacturing districts in New England for proof. He knew better than to attempt to illustrate his theory.

The California beet growers have struck the key note of the tariff, or bounty principle: if the government will not pledge to keep my business above "the profit of staple enterprises," I will not engage in it. The administration which decrees favors expects large returns, and so class legislation is built up on a foundation of pure selfishness and greed, and people blinded by partisan fondness, help to clasp the chain around their own wrists. The marvelous prosperity of the few is proclaimed for national wealth and advancement, while the unequal distribution of this wealth grows with every year of such rule and policy.

PESSIMIST AND OPTIMIST.

Is the world really growing better? Is it growing worse? Is there more crime and misery, proportionately? or is it reported and spread upon the day-book to the extent never before equaled? are questions of every-day asking. To go through one day's newspapers published in a half dozen large cities of the union and judge from the appalling crimes of every character described in them, would lead one to conclude that honesty and uprightness, both in the individual and the collective sense were never before at so low ebb since we or our ancestors have hoisted of civilization and enlightenment. If one-half the political bribery and corruption that is charged is true, then we have scarcely a vestige of the high, patriotic honor that went into the foundation of the government, remaining with us. The profession of politics consists of the struggle of men to overreach one another in gaining possession of means and power by any agency possible. One party wishes at the high-handed outrages of the other, in a desperate, helpless sort of way with the threat "go on if you will; we'll get even with you when our turn comes." Men against whom the most damaging things in the category are said and sworn to, are "vindicated" by election to high places. Loyal and patriotic citizens declare there is jobbery in every department of public service. The most startling chapter on "gambling as the national vice," a going behind the returns of defalcations, embezzlements, robberies, etc., app ars prominently in a muckraker journal. Our ablest magazine writers are inveighing against the dishonesty of the government, especially in its treatment of individual creditors. Are these presentations put forth by alarmists for the fun of the thing? Some writer estimates that one hundred millions of dollars change hands annually on the various race tracks of the country, and one hundred persons earn a living in New York alone selling lottery tickets. Then the bucket shops and stock exchanges where millions of dollars are won and lost daily come under the head of gambling. Says this writer: "Clerks steal their employers' money to follow a straight tip on wheat. Bank officials wreck the institutions over which they preside in order to make a deal in stocks which promises them millions. In fact, gambling is now running a close race with intemperance for the dishonor of being mank's greatest curse."

Emphasis has been given these alarming accusations by the notable failures, suicides and wrecks of late happening. 'Tis a dark picture and all shades of it are furnished by the record of current events in the daily press.

On the other hand, Christian churches were never so near each other in the bonds of brotherly love, Christian charity was never so well organized and so active as it is to-day. Education and progression are in the air and achievement in arts, sciences and invention are little short of the marvelous. There's a large field of exploit for both the pessimist and the optimist. The optimist admits that his opponent has the best of the argument, apparently, because the good things men say and do, the silent influences of the benign agencies, are not calendared in newspapers. It is the pilferer and not the philanthropist, the pugilist and not the pulpiteer, who get columns in the daily print.

In the late census figures on crime and pauperism, prepared by Dr. F. H. Wines, the agent and inspector appointed by the government, the ratio of convicts to the population is put down at 723 in each million, an increase of thirteen to the million in the last decade. When the rate at which the criminal population of the old world has been dumped in upon us is considered, there is encouragement in the showing. In juvenile offenders, there is an increase of eight to the million. In the penitentiaries and reformatories, the actual number in these institutions is less in 1890 than in 1886. But the figures that stand for sentenced offenders in jails and workhouses—the thirty and sixty days men—are increasing at an alarming rate. This fact is accredited, both by Mr. Wright, the statistician, and also by Dr. Wines to the fearful increase in drunkenness. There are 350,000 men arrested, annually, in this country for drunkenness alone, "an army greater than the arrests for all other purposes," so writes Mr. Foster, special agent of the department of justice in Washington.

From these deductions it seems that gambling, dishonesty and drunkenness are the national vices—a formidable presentation truly, though, according to the enumerators, they so had as might have been expected for reasons aforesaid.

But, says the pessimist, the high crimes against honor and patriotism, the degraded sense of moral rectitude—these are something that no statistician's figures reach. And so the fault is waged. We prefer to be optimists. Let we cannot close our eyes and ears to the facts presented by the other side.

What do the bejowled old judges of the Supreme court ... would think anyway if the plain ... I mean to decide only the plain ... questions submitted, smuggled in the ... and ... the meaning of the customs law. A test case is to be made at once in the courts to determine whether the case is tried, and will bounties be sworn?

A Strange Parallel.

Just fancy what a shock of Cyrus W. Field and the Columbus of modern republican national conventions, chairman Hanna, would give to the old "tariff for revenue only" democrats if the words of this brilliant statesman should be uttered: "The tariff is discriminating in favor of one class of producers at the expense of another. It is a phase of the question that the high-tax advocates always avoid, because they cannot meet it. They generalize by saying if one class prospers, all prosper proportionately, a fallacy on the face of it as every observer knows and all history proves. An organ of this theory recently proclaimed that farms and market gardens always flourish if protected factories are placed in their midst. He didn't call attention to various manufacturing districts in New England for proof. He knew better than to attempt to illustrate his theory."

Bismarck and Caprivi.

Dr. Bismarck is sending so lively a critique through the editor of Hamburg, which Chancellor Caprivi is attached that, however painful it may be to hold ... possible to let go. Meanwhile the good physician takes rather more than a pathological interest in the writhings of his patient.—New York Evening Sun.

They Do Not Propose It, Though.

While the republicans are contemplating the stunning of Senator Brice's seat for Foraker, it might be well for them to just remember the rebel flag incident and the ballot-box forgery and then pause and consider whom they propose to send to Washington—a man whom they refused to elect governor of Ohio.—Manchester Union.

Plain and Undiscoverable.

Collector Beard says that reciprocity is not free trade, but "a mutual trade which is a mutual benefit to the parties exchanging." The difference in this distinction will be as plain to mesmerizing protectionists as it will be undiscoverable by anybody else.—Providence Journal.

Grits and Tories.

Mr. Chaplean at Providence proclaimed the future of Canada as an existence entirely independent of the United States; Mr. Laurier at Boston referred to it as one of complete dependence upon the republic. This is the difference between the party policies.—Toronto Empire.

Giving Sherman a Show.

Murat Halstead has gone abroad for two months. This will give Sherman a fair show in his senatorial fight and be a relief to the republicans generally. A man may leave his country for his country's good, temporarily, at least.—Indianapolis News.

Good Advice.

While the German emperor is reforming European morals let us hope he will not omit to demonstrate the value of his reformatory process by cleaning up the very questionable character of some of the royal families.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Lies the Connecting Link.

"The hope of the republican party lies in the expression of a stalwart republican sentiment," Chauncey, chairman republican national committee, says.

"Hay" is a good word in this connection.—Lehman Report.

Well, There's Pennsylvania.

The Australian ballot has been admitted to the dignified and stately electoral contests of the Harvard overseers. What new world is there for this voting system to conquer?—Boston Globe.

Some Have Tried It and Missed.

What an opportunity the punsters are losing, when Seymour, Hatch, Mills and Crisp are candidates! Anybody could work puns on those names.—New York World.

The government of Jehoiakim has declared that the families of Jewish exiles to Siberia have no right of residence in the Siberian districts and must be transported back to the pale of Jewish settlement.

MENTIONED ON THE STREETS.

That the steamer Lander was beclosed and her crew paid off.

That the steamer Panther will lay up in Toledo for the winter.

That the St. Clair bridge over Swan creek is not any too safe.

That hats were flying in all directions yesterday during the blow.

That the Farmers' institute next month will be an interesting affair.

That the slaughter of quail has been unusually large this season.

That sideboards are to be popular as Christmas presents this year.

That Toledo's public schools are not surpassed by any in the state.

That a flagman or gates will soon be necessary at the street crossings.

That the United States court will probably get through its business next week.

That the old-time discussion of the police matronship is on with renewed vigor.

That there is a scrimmage with regard to a pastor in East Toledo church circles.

That the Ninth ward is blessed with more gas than any other portion of the city.

That it is possible a fast steamer will ply between Toledo and Monroe next year.

That the letter of Sir Edwin Arnold on his personal religious views is a "corker."

That the O. Y. C. deer roast next Wednesday evening will be the event of the season.

That the Toledo police department has been universally successful during the year just closing.

That Father Hannin will be content to take this life easy after his new church is completed and in use.

That Harry Cotter and Billy Border are telling each other fish stories until the season opens again.

That a number of applications for pardon will be made at the next meeting of the workhouse directors.

That it is possible Rev. Dr. Talmage or Henry Watterson will lecture in Toledo before the season closes.

That the accident on the Belt line yesterday is the first serious one which has occurred for some months.

That the new Oliver Baptist church will be dedicated with appropriate exercises one week from to-morrow.

That the various passenger departments of local railroads are hustling preparations for holiday business.

That the Law Enforcement league has been called together for next Tuesday afternoon for a brief meeting.

That it is probable hereafter individual orders will not go with Superintendent O'Herron in the natural gas department.

That the badge adopted by the High school class of '92 is regarded by the members, to use the street slang, as "a bute."

That Preacher Fish has chosen a peculiar title for his sermon to-morrow evening, "Tekel," which will likely draw a crowd.

That Toledo lodge of Masons will break its record this year by giving a party for the members and their ladies early in January.

That the Woolsons are deluging the mails with their pretty Christmas cards, all of which are first-class advertisements for Toledo.

That the hypothecating of improvement bonds by contractors does not inure to the credit of Toledo, nor does it insure low prices for work.

That Horace Walbridge means business when he says the gas company will not furnish light at $1 per thousand, as fixed by the aldermen.

That it would be a good scheme for the street railroad managers to call off the motormen who indulge in racing to beat each other at the crossings.

That Marshal Ben Wade will again have a chance to auction off a portion of the C. J. & M. on the 17th, and he don't care how often it is sold, either.

That Mr. W. I. Squire was elected commander of Forsyth post by a vote of 82 to 81. A close shave, but the luster got there just the same.

That Volunteer post will be presided over by Rev. W. H. Sheen, pastor of the First Baptist church, the coming year. Rev. Dr. Eaton did service as commander of Forsyth post the present term.

That Col. C. L. Kernan, of Norwalk, is forcing the fight for adjutant general, which, of course, requires the services of Col. Hawley of Canton, very problematical. In fact, it is possible neither of the Hawleyites will serve.

That it is rather odd one of the gas companies, when advertised in the columns of this paper, should have the audacity to send out circulars to its customers stating that the Bee was not to be relied upon for information, when in the valley second, there wasn't gas enough to produce an explosion.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Gov. Chase of Indiana is a Campbellite preacher.

Count Herbert Bismarck is contemplating a visit to America.

Dr. Lopez Gonsalvez de Paula Baptista, Brazilian minister of foreign affairs, has been elected a member of the Academy of Sciences of Munich.

Huxley is one of the few men of whom Carlyle has said a good word. Carlyle commended the habit that Huxley has of saying "I don't know."

Miss O'Reilly has been making use of only 200 persons when he lectured in Buffalo, N. Y., and in his latest letter he speaks of the Buffalonians in a somewhat sneering way.

Prof. F. Nicolls Crouch, the composer of the music for "Kathleen Mavourneen," is still living in Baltimore at an advanced age.

The king and queen of Denmark will celebrate their golden jubilee on the 26th of next May. Nearly every Europ an sovereign will be present, and the occasion will be one of rare brilliancy.

Dr. Anna Epstein, a Russian woman, has been appointed the official city physician by the council of Pozarevatz, in Servia. So far as is known she is the first woman so honored in Europe.

Christine Nilsson has finally attained her wish to reside in Stockholm, and has obtained from the Queen Regent of Spain the appointment of her titled husband as Spanish minister to the Swedish court.

On the anniversary of Lord Nelson's death, every October, his flagship is elaborately decorated with evergreens, and the white ensign is freshly displayed as it was all the night long prior to the battle of Trafalgar.

Bishop Oxenden in his newly published "Autobiography" says that Cardinal Manning, who was a schoolmate of his at Harrow, was not at that time a boy of unusual promise, although there was a little self-assertion in his composition.

HINTS FOR CHRISTMAS.

Rub the price mark off the present unless it is an expensive one.

Though money makes the mare go, it makes Santa Claus come.

Don't ask your child what he wants unless you intend to give it to him.

If we don't have baseball at Christmas we have the cricket on the hearth.

When you have the Christmas tree up it doesn't mean that you have it fixed up.

If you wish to surprise your girl never ask her what she would like for Christmas.

At Christmas time it is well enough to agree the English as far as the plum pudding is concerned.

Santa Claus would never make a schoolmaster. Whatever is good he puts at the foot of the stocking.

Some persons never wish you a merry Christmas unless they think they will get something for doing so.

The bachelor who puts his thumb into the bowl of punch Christmas eve is apt to pull out a collar-button.—Judge.

Don't buy your best girl a present on the instalment plan as she might jilt you before you had made all the payments.

OUR WISE CONTEMPORARIES.

A pair of spectacles—The monocle and its wearer.—Puck.

The best foot on which to put the Christmas stocking is the foot of the bed.—Puck.

Patti is considered the world's greatest diva—and yet she never appeared in a tank drama.—Music and Drama.

Trust to luck very much and you will soon find that it is the only thing in town that will give you credit.—Atchison Globe.

No man can expect to successfully wear the trousers if he cannot tatoo up hearty to the suspenders of hard work.—Chicago News.

Mama—Maud, dear, I wish you would be more polite. Maud—I do, dear, but I haven't got to be polite at home, have I?—Munsey's Monthly.

So much attention and praise is given the worthless men when he dies that we are discouraging to the hopeful young men who is doing his best.

Mr. Waite—"If that bell isn't just like a woman, I'm no judge. First she's a long time coming, then she's all of a tremble, and when she does get here she's all talk."—Boston Courier.

CLUBS AND SOCIETIES.

Miss Bouton's Paper at the Colloquial Club.

Another Political Equality Club Organized—What is Promised for Next Week—Meetings To-day.

One of the largest meetings of the Women's Colloquial club since its organization was held yesterday afternoon at the Law kindergarten rooms, Mrs. Judge Bentley presiding and Miss Emily Bouton giving the paper of the afternoon on "Thought Revolutions." As was anticipated, the paper was an able effort, and being of a broad nature, dwelling especially upon woman's emancipation from past prejudices, was an interesting subject for the wide discussion which followed the reading. The discussion was participated in by Miss Bouton, Mrs. Bentley, Mrs. Fray, Mrs. Godfrey, Mrs. Bick, Mrs. Murphy, Miss Olmstead, and others. Among the new members received was Miss Jennie Olmstead, of Holland. The next meeting will be held Friday afternoon, December 18, beginning at 4 o'clock sharp. The paper will be given by Mrs. A. E. Lang, subject to be announced later.

The Holley circle will meet with Mrs. L. B. Cook Friday, December 11. Mrs. Arthur Martin will give a paper on "Magellan and His Discoveries." Mrs. Green will give the second of the series of papers on "Spain in the Fifteenth Century."

Another Political Equality club was organized in Toledo last evening, at the Third Street M. E. church, the membership made up of Sixth ward ladies who desire to see school suffrage given to the women of Ohio by the next general assembly. The meeting was called to order by Rev. S. L. Roberts, and opened with a fervent prayer that the reform of universal suffrage might soon be achieved, minds of all women awakened to its necessity, and the hearts of men inclined to grant this right to women. Miss Jennie L. Olmstead, of Holland, was present and was called upon to sing "The Saloonists Cry, "Don't Let the Women Vote," which she rendered effectively. Mrs. Ellen S. Fray was introduced, and gave nineteen reasons why women should have school suffrage. Mrs. C. Q. Murphy spoke for a half hour, giving a variety of reasons why women should vote, with apt illustrations to bring out the points of her reasoning. A sufficient number of ladies then put their names down to organize a Political Equality club, and when that was effected the meeting adjourned. Another meeting of the club will be held Friday afternoon next, with Mrs. Rachel J. Godfrey, 626 Platt street, when officers of the club will be chosen.

Woodbridge W. C. T. U. meets next Monday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, with Mrs. J. H. Van Arnum, 513 Locust street.

The regular monthly meeting of the Toledo Society of Economic Inquiry will be held in the Steadman Business college next Wednesday evening. Instead of a paper, the evening will be devoted to a discussion upon the introduction of some new feature into the society meetings. It is hoped that all members of the society, as well as others interested in its meetings, will make a special effort to be present next Wednesday evening. The executive committee of the society is in session at Rev. Dr. Bacon's this afternoon.

The Day Nursery circle of the King's Daughters, is holding a meeting at the nursery on Oak street this afternoon.

The New Century club meets with Mrs. Rosa L. Segur and Mrs. Ellen S. Fray, 916 Broadway, next Friday evening. Mrs. A. P. Stevens reads the paper. Subject: "A Government Machine or a Free People."

The First Isabella circle meets Tuesday afternoon, December 21, with Mrs. George P. Lawrence, 1007 Madison street, at 4 p. m. Mrs. S. I. Moore will read the paper.

The Theosophic society held an instructive meeting Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. John M. Wheeler. Many of our metaphysically inclined representative people were present. The readings included Edwin Arnold's "Defense of Theosophy," Annie Besant's tribute to Madame Blavatsky, and some articles in relation to Mrs. Bryant and her addresses given recently in New York.

The adult class of Dr. Jennings' Sunday school continue the study of "Social Problems," a recent work by Rev. Minot J. Savage.

BATTLE OF K. P. BALLOTS.

How the Vote Stood at Noon To-Day on All Officers.

Grand Keeper of Record Court is receiving the official returns of the vote being cast for grand lodge officers of the Knights of Pythias. Up to noon to-day he had received the vote of 204 lodges on all the ticket, and of 224 lodges on his own election. The figures are as follows: Sutphen, Court, Jenkins and Wilm leading where there are contests:

Grand Chancellor—Phil. H. Born, 1,425.
Grand Vice-Chancellor—H. W. Lewis, 1,430.
Grand Prelate—J. T. Sutphen, 820; J. A. Carter, 696.
Grand Keeper of Records and Seals—S. A. Court, 1,521; E. A. Tucker, 311.
Grand Master of Exchequer—Edmund Hitchins, 1,427.
Grand Master at Arms—M. A. Bridge, 1,422.
Grand Inner Guard—Wm. H. Ward, 710; M. J. Jenkins, 722.
Grand Outer Guard—Isaac Scholes, 225; Jno. W. Winn, 801; S. W. Sescrist, 71; S. F. Talbot, 100; A. B. Wingate, 26; J. B. Worley, 201.

The returns include only about half the lodges, the rest voting next week, but the gentlemen who are now ahead will likely constitute the officials for 1892-1893.

THE BEE THANKED

By Way of a Toledo Woman to Whom the Government is Debtor.

Martha Cornell Woodward, of Toledo, is one of the "French Spoilation" heirs who has kept alive her interest in the anticipated award to the practical extent of prosecuting her claim all these years; and herself and other heirs of her family are placed early on the list of claimants who may one day receive their due. Miss Woodward sent a marked copy of the Bee, containing a review of James Hopkins' paper in the December Forum, "Is the United States Honest" (which involves a sketch of the French spoilation claims) to Mr. Hopkins and received reply, thanking the Bee for its review, and her for the interest manifested, and assuring her that he should keep up the a gitation for the honest payment of debts by the government, and was glad of every such aid.

THE IRREPRESSIBLE QUESTION.

It is odd that the great Chinese Wall should be menaced by rebels at the very time that Reciprocity is bombarding holes in our own tariff.—Philadelphia Record.

What is a true high-tariff republican to think of the free trade we are to have with Hawaii? How can any infant industry survive if free trade is allowed in any direction.—Courier-Journal.

"The columns of facetiae in our cheap periodicals," says James Parn, "are supplied from America, there being, unhappily, no copyright in jokes." Not even the most zealous tariff reformer, however, would be apt to object to the establishment in America of a law specially prohibiting the tariff on English jokes.—New York World.

The man who draws tariff pictures from a fevered imagination with inverted rules now has another chance. Let him give a diagram illustrating how the hated foreigner and the foreign product enter into competition if French fabrics with it passed the custom house yesterday. And will he be about it, let him also show how the $20,000 duties exacted will increase the wages of those who make the goods.—Chicago Times.

We cannot have a sufficient division of just what is meant by protection to the plan of the democratic tariff reformers and the basis of their opposition to it. For the most part we are in favor of protection, but we are opposed to the present tariff law because it is not a protective measure. It may be that the democratic party will be compelled to modify its position in order to meet the views of the country, we do not know. We are in favor of the additional duties on [illegible] because they are protective. The democratic party is opposed to them because they are not protective. The democratic party is

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MOTHERS.

(A dialogue at Boston, Mass., by Sir Edwin Arnold.)

"See there," he said, "my fair American! you noisy child
I'd like to choke, being but brutal man; that mother mild
Takes all its howls for music, comforts it with song and kiss,
And gives it, at the loudest of its fit, her milky bliss."

"And there again, you little lambkin bleating, Made for mint sauce;
At its fist cry the ewe quits clover eating, And runs, perforce."

"And yet, again, that purple-winged hen starling
Hungry, I'll ronch it,
Flies with a fat grub to her nested darling, Nor dreams to pouch it."

"She, mercy everywhere, she pitying, In helpless season;
You Boston girls seem up to everything; Tell me the reason."

"Why, certainly!" she smiled, "don't poets know
Better than others?
God can't be always everywhere, and so Invented Mothers."

BEESWAX.

When ignorance opens its mouth the chances are about seven in ten that a falsehood will result.

The kindling wood industry is not a small one. A single factory in Pennsylvania turns out 5,000,000 bundles a month.

From measurements of the clouds it is found that the velocity of the wind increased 12 miles an hour with every mile in height.

The Braganza diamond, the largest in the world, weighs 1,880 carats. It was found in Brazil in 1741, and is now one of the Portuguese crown jewels.

If Chicago ever does go into the business of supplying the market with horseflesh, Chicago canned horse will be the best in the world.

One rascally lawyer of Mississippi has received his deserts. He swindled negro women out of pension money, and has been sent to state prison for six years.

The marble chips left over from the construction of St. Patrick's cathedral in New York are said to have furnished marble dust for the manufacture of 24,000,000 gallons of soda water.

A stork had a ring on his leg for identification. After two years' absence he returned to Germany last spring with a second ring, bearing the inscription, "India sends greetings to Germany."

Winnipeg statistics show that 13,039 bona fide immigrants arrived there for settlement during ten months of 1891, as compared with 11,918—an increase of 1,121—over the same period for 1890.

The missionary work of the Greek church is very successful in Japan. According to the latest reports of the St. Petersburg synod there are at present 19,000 converts to the faith of that church in Japan.

The first constitntional convention of California met in Cotton hall, Monterey, in 1849. The California pioneers have just saved this historic building from being demolished by promising to purchase and repair it.

Western Washington loggers tell of an immense log, recently floated down the Snoqualmie river, which five oxen had difficulty in hauling. It was a fir log 32 feet in length and 89 inches in diameter at the largest end.

A great obstacle to the manufacture of lead pencils will soon arise in the scarcity of soft cedar wood. At present the wood used in all the lead pencils in the world comes from Florida, and that supply is expected to be exhausted within five years.

The copper-colored Choctaws dislike the black-skinned negroes and have adopted a law for their exclusion from the Choctaw country. The Choctaws dislike the whites not less than the blacks, and hold that they themselves are the cream of creation.

A certain Scotch editor recently departed so far from the customs of his contemporaries as to substitute the headings "Hatch," "Match" and "Dispatch" over those departments in a paper which his contemporaries assorted under the heads of "Births," "Marriages" and "Deaths."

German engravers harden their tools by heating them to a white heat and then plunging them into the tool cools. By this method the steel becomes almost as hard as a diamond, and when touched with a little oil is excellent for engraving or for drilling into other metals.

It is said in the east that the newspapers are becoming tired of their dull but high priced syndicate articles, stories and novels. The readers are tired of them, too. Mark Twain's $1,000 letter from France was not worth over $6 a column, and Stevenson's South sea letters have been dreary and acknowledged failures.

Julius M. Price, who is exploring Mongolia, writes that the town of Ourga, with 15,000 inhabitants, has only 15 police officers, who, however, have an easy time, as crime is very unusual. A prisoner is put on view in the stocks immediately after arrest, and that constitutes a good share of his punishment.

A man who is running a clam farm near Oldtown, Me., for two weeks feeds the clams on celery meal and Indian meal, and then boils them, a bushel at a time. He puts in one quart of water and takes out eight quarts of juice, which he sells for 5 cents a glass after it has been heated and seasoned. He feeds pigs with the meat, and they grow fat rapidly.

The reports from the artesian well at Huron, N. D., show that it is the most wonderful well known to exist. The water spouts up to a distance of about 1000 feet, and the amount that flows from the well is tremendous, being estimated at from 8,000 to 10,000 gallons a minute. Even at the lowest figure enough water is ejected to furnish every man, woman and child in the state of North Dakota with at least four gallons of water every four hours.

The peculiar custom of lovers breaking a piece of money, each retaining one-half as a token of remembrance, has come down from ancient times. Long before Europe and Asia were provided with inns or public houses of entertainment, it was the custom for travelers to seek lodgings with private householders, and on parting a pebble, ring, piece of money or other token was broken, each taking a half and retaining it, that the host at some future time, if necessary, might claim a return of hospitality by presenting the token.

THE WEATHER ON A TEAR.

All Kinds Are on Tap for December.

Heavy Snows, Rain and Cold Well Mixed.

Nobody Will Have to Go Without Their Own Particular Kind of Weather During the Next Thirty Days.

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St. Joseph, Mo., Dec. 5.—December weather will average cold till after the 15th, and from the middle of December to about January 10 will be the warmest part of the winter as an average, but that period will be remarkable for extremes of heat and cold, severe storms, deep snows and sudden changes. The most severe storms of the month will occur after the 15th.

The eastern states will have bad weather for Christmas, while it will generally be clear and cold west of the Mississippi. In the lake region and the Ohio valley will be mixed weather generally clearing and growing colder on that holiday. Severe storms on Atlantic coast about 25th.

A storm wave will be due to leave the Pacific coast about December 4, cross the central valleys from 5th to 7th and reach the Atlantic coast about the 8th. It will be at its greatest force when near the state of Maine on the 9th, and ocean gales will be quite severe at that time. A wave of colder weather will follow this disturbance about one day in its rear.

The second December storm wave will move down the Alaskan coast about the 9th and will then be a fierce storm, at its greatest energy, and it will decrease in force as it moves eastward across the continent. It will cross the Rocky mountains about the 10th, the great central valleys from 11th to 13th and reach the Atlantic coast about the 14th. The cool wave will come into the upper Missouri valley about the 12th and move southeastward reaching the Atlantic coast about the 15th.

For thirty years past there has not been a time when the weather was of so much interest as it will be during 1892, and those who desire to be forewarned should subscribe for a paper that regularly publishes my weather letters and keep a file of the letters. These letters are copyrighted and the papers have no right to use them except by permission, and I will not send them to any paper that does not publish them regularly on or after the Saturday following their date. These letters are popular with the people, they are a financial success to their author, and I will protect the exclusive rights to use them of the papers that pay me for them.

About the first of the coming year I expect to begin a careful, detailed explanation, through my letters, of my methods of calculating the future of the weather, and will furnish illustrations to such papers as desire to use them. My whole time is given to this work; I am not old, my health is good, I am studying the subject carefully, and I am determined to conquer this most difficult of all problems.

I am a firm believer in the newspapers as the great educators, the medium through which to reach the public, therefore I have no thought of publishing a book. I will be pleased to receive suggestions from editors, publishers and readers as to how I can make these letters of greater interest and value to the public.

I am not yet able to avoid errors, but I know I am right as to the cause of weather changes and I expect to live to see the world convinced that I am right.

The drouth of 1892 in the Mississippi valley is of vast importance to the whole country, and many people will desire to know why I expect such an undesirable event, and the discussion of the causes of our periodical drouths will be an interesting feature of my letters for next year. Now is the time to subscribe for papers publishing these letters.

Some time ago I expressed a desire that congress establish a department of agricultural meteorology that would take up the system I use and perfect it. If such a bill could be put through the congress probabilities are that the department would be made subservient to the present weather bureau, and as that institution is operated on the old theories that have guided it for 20 years, I prefer to remain independent of its dictations. Producers and many other interests are entitled to reliable long range weather forecasts, and the $500,000 paid out annually ought to secure them, but it never will under the system used by the national weather bureau.

The electrical system of meteorology is in demand, and it must, ere long, supplant the old heat theory.

W. T. FOSTER.

MORPHINE BY MISTAKE.

Kent, O., Dec. 5.—Mrs. Helen Merrett, wife of Henry Merrett, went to a shelf to secure a dose of quinine. By mistake she swallowed a large dose of morphine. She went to bed and when called at 8 o'clock this morning she could not be aroused. It was feared that something was wrong and physicans were called, when the mistake she had made was discovered.

IN FRONT OF A TRAIN.

Youngstown, Dec. 5.—Martin Faulk, aged sixty, sat down on the Erie track near Girard and was struck by a freight train and killed. The engineer blew the whistle and rang the bell, but Faulk paid no attention to it, and it is believed meditated self-destruction.

LETTER LIST.

The following letters remain uncalled for in the postoffice at Toledo, Saturday, December 5:

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Acker, Henry	Miller, F W
Anderson, James	Mowan, C H
Bayles, C N	Moulton, E J
Babcock, Enos	McNight, Chas
Bell, G T	Murphy, John
Branson, H L	Mcfan, J O
Brannann, Isider	Myers, L O
Brown, John E	Mackender, P N
Bruce, John A	Moris, S J
Babcock, W R	Mills, Wm
Boody, Will	Nelson, Herman
Bennett, Walter	Orland, Edie
Childs, Charles H	Ouley, O H
Cosgrove, David	Pierce, Master Wm
Chaffee, Frank B	Pfaffinger, Stephen
Coppel, Geo	Peaney, Robert
Clunohan, Harry B	Peterson, James
Carver, J A	Parkin, John D
Colgan, Rev J R	Patterson, Jas F
Campble, Mr	Patterson, James
Cunningham, Michael	Reynolds, Jos F
Cool, Oscar	Reynolds, Rev G
Dunbar, Mr	Rice, G D
Dunn, J A	Rohaga, Chas
Dennison, Geo W	Smith, M E
DeMott, W E	Stewart, Edw
Draper, E A	Stuckert, Daniel L
Denman, E	Smith, Clifford A
Doyle, Edward	Sharker, J H
Dood, P E	Shackelford, Wade
Emings, Samuel	Smith, Warren
Fisk, Clinton	Sandrock, Wm
Funklouser, Dallas	Sylvester, Queenie V 2
Fiedh, Geo N	Sinlia, Om
Fuller, Irving	Scanlon, Benie
Fields, J R	Smiley, Alvin
Flinn, James	Schurtz, G
French, Wm S	Smith, John
Foye, J S	Timmons, Howard
Faulkner, T	Tarhouse, Tad
Gray, Grant	Tucker, Thomas
Guckhurst, W W	Trimmer, Sylvester
Garretson, Wm F	Taylor, James
Harris, Frank J	Tuttle, J W
Hiest, W C	Tacey, J
Hardening, I N	Tallman, D S
Hurr, Lee	Taylor, Dan
Hallman, C Arthur	Van Glider, Lynne
Hales, T B	Vette, B B
Hesnek, Szabo	Wiesman, Pete
Jackof, John	Walters, G M
Kiernan, Barney 3	Walterich, Sam
Kaser, E	Walters, Capt James
Kollis, Fred	Westfall, Dave
Keenan, M J	Wem, H H
Keough, J	Ward, Burt
Kurtz, Will J	Young, C
Loftus, Mr	Young, E W
Limon, Tom	Young, J
Lichtig, Wm	Young, Mr

Ladies' List.

Bade, Mrs Anney	Morris, Miss Maggie
Baird, Edna	Moss, Pearly
Brown, Mrs C S	Mattison, Mrs Wm
Blake, Miss Celia 2	Michell, Mrs Agnes
Blouse, Miss Emma	Murphy, Mrs Mary
Bills, Mrs L C	Neigh, Mrs Emma
Brown, Miss Sadie	Norton, Miss Kitty
Bryant, Miss Jessie	Neal, Rosa E
Brown, Mrs Mary E	O'Connor, Mrs F A
Budge, Angie	Peters, Miss Stella
Cochrane, Miss Hattie	Pierce, Mrs H C
Collison, Mrs J A	Pierce, Mrs Lillie G
Cromer, Mrs Kate	Pilcher, Gertrude
Carroll, Miss	Richards, Lucy S
Drake, Mrs Rhoda	Roberts, Miss Joseph
Dodge, Mrs Nancy	Rosenberg, Miss A M
Davis, Mrs M	Samson, Miss S
DeHaven, Mrs	Scott, Mrs O M
Elsworth, Cora	Sherne, Mrs Lavina
Edholm, Miss Sadie	Stelmaserk, Mary
Ebersole, Tillie	Selzer, Miss Grace
Ford, Mrs Eugene	Tanner, Miss Alta
Furber, Miss F	Thompson, Miss B 2
Friedl, Miss Ida	Thesblus, Ellen
Frazer, Lettie	Tonkin, Miss Frances
Florment, Miss G	Tucker, Miss Rose 2
Garver, Mrs E	Sefano, Mrs Marno
Gaebel, Miss Mari	Thorn, Miss Lillie 2
Hawks, Miss Lulu	Van Horn, Mamie
Hoey, Miss Nellie	Van Horn, Martha C
Hills, Mrs L B	Van Gelson, Mary
Hull, Miss Addie	Wilson, Miss Sadie
Harm, Mrs Belinda	Werts, Miss R
Hinckley, Mrs C	Wolfe, Mrs Martha
Johnson, Mrs S J	Winslow, Belle
Knox, Miss Annie E	Wells, Mrs Honie
Kelley, Mrs Jennie	Wisaun, Miss Eliza
Kreager, Miss M	Williams, Mrs C J
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Kling, Mrs Jennie	Williams, Mrs
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NEXT!

Detective John Cavanaugh Tells a Story on a Hog Which Had Sense.

"Your cat and chicken stories printed in the Bee are away back in the rear ranks along side of an occurrence of somewhat the same nature that actually took place," remarked Detective John Cavanaugh to John Gunckel, the other day, at the Union depot.

"Tell it and let me judge," replied John.

"One day several years ago, I was down at the Lake Shore round house when a passenger engine was run in, having completed its regular run. I was standing there talking with the engineer, and as the conversation proceeded, I thought I heard a noise something like the grunt of a pig. A railroad round house, of course, would be the last place on earth to find a pig, but I noticed the engineer looking about in a puzzled manner. After the noise was repeated several times, the engineer remarked about it, and we concluded it must have been one of the boys trying to play a joke on us. The grunting continued, and we concluded that it was not an imitation, but a genuine hog grunt. Where it came from was what stumped us. We then began a systematic search for his hogship and were rewarded in locating him. Where do you suppose we found him?"

"Give it up," said John.

"Standing on a ledge under the cowcatcher. The engine brought the run in from Norwalk, and undoubtedly the hog had crawled under the cowcatcher and had sense enough to stay there until we took him. It was nothing but a runt of a shoat. I took him home, fed him up, and when I killed him he weighed just 400 pounds."

Don't run the risk of your cold getting well of itself—you may thereby drift into a condition favorable to the development of some latent tendency, which may give you years of trouble. Better cure your cold at once with the help of Dr. D. Jayne's Expectorant, a good healing medicine for all coughs, sore lungs and throats

ENTERTAINMENTS.

Some Good Attractions to be Here Next Week.

"The Bottom of the Sea" at the People's—"All the Comforts of Home"—Sol Smith Russell—"Our Irish Visitors.

Old Jed Prouty, with Richard Golden in the title role, was witnessed by a good audience at Wheeler's last evening, and gave much satisfaction. The play is very similar to others dealing with the old-fashioned home life in New England, but there are many original points about it, especially in the character of Jed Prouty, which was cleverly depicted by Golden. The company is a strong one, and the other parts were well carried out.

"The Bottom of the Sea."

W. A. Brady's "Bottom of the Sea" will be the attraction at the People's theater all next week with the usual matinees. This piece, with its wonderful scenic effects was presented here last season to a great week's business and will probably be greeted with crowded houses again.

The first act of the play shows the interior of an ocean steamer on her way from West India to France, her boilers explode and there is a realistic shipwreck scene showing the struggling passengers in the water and the gradual descent of the ill-fated vessel. At this moment a full-rigged yacht comes in sight, tossing on the waves, and the act closes with the most realistic rescue ever conceived. After some episodes, which happen in France, the third act of the piece opens on board the French man-of-war Invincible, showing the deck of the craft which is laying the West India submarine cable. The fourth act contains the submarine scenes, of which there are ten tableaux or transformations, showing the descent of four submarine divers clad in their peculiar outfit and helmets with their flashing electric headlights. During the descent one of the divers is attacked by a huge octopus or devil fish, and a realistic conflict takes place. However, the diver escapes the horrible tentacles of the monster and descends to the bottom of the ocean to join his companions who are repairing a break in the cable. Here they come upon the wreck of the ill-fated steamer sunk in the first act, and the hero of the piece, seeing the villains robbing the dead of their treasures, interferes, and a conflict takes place. The most interesting feature of this act is the pantomimic work of the players, and the swimming about of all strange kinds of fish. The effect is thrilling and has made a sensation everywhere seen. The company, which is a large one, embraces many well-known players, the principal of which are Eugene O'Rourke, an Irish comedian who has found great favor wherever seen in this representation; Messrs. George W. Barnum, Frank Karrington, Adolph Jackson, J. H. Fitzpatrick, Lillian Lee, Belle Douglas and many others.

Our Irish Visitors,

with Thomas E. Murray as the star, will be the attraction at Wheeler's opera house Tuesday night, December 8. The company has played here before, and has the reputation of rare merit. The press of other cities where they have appeared this season seem unanimous in their praise of both actors and play.

Mr. Murray is as funny as ever, and has lost none of his strong hold upon the amusement loving public. Frank Davis as the New York alderman is a good second to Mr. Murray. Will O. Pearle and Maggie Elise introduce their wonderful specialties in the last act. Katie Rooney introduces her specialties, and also does some specialties in male attire as her father. Others of the company are Val Dresser, Ed Sandford, Charlie Sabine, Hattie Delaro Barnes, Janie Grey, May Nugent and Helena Coe. The girls of the company are all charming and do some very fine specialties.

All the Comforts of Home.

Charles Frohman's company come to the Wheeler opera house Thursday and Friday, December 10 and 11, presenting Wm. Gillette's great comedy success entitled, All the comforts of Home.

The story is a jealous old husband of a second wife suspects his spouse of lack of faith because he has got hold of a tender letter of hers making an appointment with a young man who bears the noble name of Victor Smyth. Victor is really in love with the young wife's stepdaughter, and the correspondence aims at the encouragement of his budding affections.

The English Othello hurries his wife and daughter off to the continent, leaving his house in charge of a scapegrace nephew who is deeply in debt, and who decides to take in lodgers during his uncle's absence in order to liquidate a note which is coming due. These lodgers are a queer set comprising a nervous old invalid subject to all sorts of extravagant eccentricities, a bashful boy, the prey of the bailiffs; an ogling comic opera singer, a retired tradesman, fond of flirting but in deadly fear of his termagant wife, who detects him in compromising relations with the comic opera singer; a guileless young daughter of the retired tradesman and of the active termagant.

There are various other subsidiary characters, and in truth the cast is a long one. Of course the graceless nephew falls in love with the graceful daughter of the termagant and the tradesman, and of course all sorts of entanglements and bewilderments grow out of the use of a private gentleman's house by a troop of ill-assorted lodgers.

Sol Smith Russell,

The popular comedian, Sol Smith Russell, in "Peaceful Valley," will be the attraction at the Wheeler opera house next Saturday night, Dec. 12. The sale of seats will open at Holmes' on Wednesday.

The play is an entirely new one, and is the best that Mr. Russel has ever had, being admirably adapted to his oddities and eccentricities of manner and

speech. The production is called "Peaceful Valley," and is as rich in humor, touches of sentiment and strength of interest as "The Old Homestead." The basis of the plot is the desire of a brother to find his supposed erring sister, and the two first acts are laid in the country. The first action takes place at a summer hotel, and the second at the home of Hosea Howe, in Peaceful Valley, both scenes being unusually attractive in spectacular beauty, exhibiting as they do the Green Mountains of Vermont in all their rugged grandeur.

Around the World.

A letter from Mr. W. M. Wilkison, formerly of this city and well known here, tells of a great trip he has arranged for Alexander Salvini, of whom he is manager. It is as follows:

"The jaunt will be a most remarkable one around the world, and it is unique for the reason that Mr. Salvini will appear before audiences in different parts of the world, speaking in the native tongue and with a company speaking the same. The itinerary that I have arranged is a most interesting one. At the close of the present season Mr. Salvini will sail from New York for London, England. Arriving in London, his season will open at the Drury Lane theater, and he will have a run of about six weeks there. During this time I shall have a French speaking company in active rehearsal of Don Caesar and The Three Guardsmen. At the close of the London run Mr. Salvini will go to the Ambigue theater, Paris, and then, after engagements in the principal cities of France, he will go to Florence, Italy, and rehearse his Italian company. He will open at his father's theater in Florence for a run of four weeks, then play at Naples, Rome, Milan and Genoa. Closing with this company he will rest for four weeks at his father's beautiful home situated on the hills of Fesole, just back of the city of Florence. The place is called the Villa Salvini and is one of the most beautiful estates in all Italy.

"After this short rest Mr. Salvini will cross the Pyreness to Spain, appearing in Madrid, Lisbon, and a few other Hispanian cities, after which he will sail for Rio de Janeiro, opening there at the Theater Royal for an extended run.

"He will next play at Montivedeo and the northern Brazilian cities, thence to Vera Cruz and to the City of Mexico, where he is specially invited by the president of the republic. At the conclusion of his eight weeks' stay there he will sail for New Orleans, where he will appear at the French theater for two weeks. The tour closes here and the French supporting company will return to La Belle, France, and Mr. Salvini will go at once to New York, the home of his adoption."

"How long will the tour last?"

"It is the intention to return to this country shortly after the presidential election."

Mr. Wilkison is a very busy man. Besides managing Salvini, he is manager of that charming emotional actress, Miss Maude Granger.

Notes.

Fanny Davenport is suffering from nervous prostration.

A project is on foot for the establishment of a permanent circus in New York.

Mme. Albani lost a number of valuable jewels which were stolen from her at Chicago one day this week.

"All the Comforts of Home," is as comprehensive as the title, it even takes in the indispensable pug dog.

"The Still Alarm" will be presented for the last time at the People's this evening. The piece has had a very successful week.

Mrs. Langtry will not come to this country this season at all. She has sent a cable to her manager, Mr. Joseph Reynolds, to the effect that she was ill and to cancel her engagements. This is the second time this season that Mrs. Langtry has cancelled her engagements there.

The historic playhouse, Niblo's Garden, New York, will change hands on January 1 next. A lease was executed on Tuesday by which Mr. E. G. Gilmore, who has been the manager of the house for the past thirteen years, turns it over to Mr. Elmer E. Vance, electrician and author of "The Limited Mail," which he is now managing.

It is stated that Richard Golden's "Old Jed Prouty" is not a caricature but a faithful reproduction of a well-known character in Bucksport Maine, one of a class so common in New England, that his prototype may be found in many of the beautiful little villages that line the shores of the Penobscot, or nestle among the mountains of New Hampshire.

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Sixty-Three Indictments for Petty Offenses.

No Criminal Cases of Any Importance—Verdict in the Paine Case.

The United States grand jury was discharged by Judge Ricks this morning after having found 63 indictments against violators of the internal revenue and postoffice laws. Of the 63 eight were for offenses against the postoffice and 55 for infraction of the revenue regulation. All are of a petty nature. The foreign contract labor case was abandoned, and did not come up before the grand jury.

The grand jury reported 22 indictments last evening and made a final report of 21 indictments this morning. Among the indictments are the following:

For carrying on business of retail liquor without having paid the special tax—Tilghman Ward, Seneca county; Frederick Kroger, Ottawa; T. E. Orwick, Hancock; W. T. Opp, Hancock; C. S. Witham, Henry; Philip Preidt, Mercer.

For failure to properly post special tax stamp—Henry Wiesler, Erie county; John Saurer, Seneca; George Hoffman, Huron; John Patterson, Wyandot; John Castle, Ottawa; S. F. Otten Ottawa; August Braun, Wood; L. C. Willoughby, Hancock; Mrs. Andrews, Erie.

The jury in the Graham-Paine land case rendered a verdict this forenoon giving Paine $1,111.88 for rents, etc. The various claims against Graham by other parties were allowed. The jury was discharged until 10 o'clock Monday, and Conroy vs. the Lima Oil company taken up.

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LIGHT SENTENCE.

Marysville, O., Dec. 5.—Mr. Parrish and James Kinney were convicted of placing an obstruction on the New York, Pennsylvania & Ohio railroad track at Mahrwood on last Hollow'e'en night, and were each sentenced to jail for thirty days, and to pay a fine of $25 and costs.

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THE BLIZZARD.

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WEEKLY CHAT

Of the Bee Householders in "Fair December Days."

Homilies on Home Life—Going Away to School—Help for Christmas —The Scrap Basket.

MY SHIP.

"O watcher on the Minster Hill,
Look out o'er the sloping sea;
Of the tall ships coming, coming still,
Is never one for me?

"I have waited and watched (the weary years!)
When I to the shore could win,
Till now I cannot see for tears
If my ship be coming in.

"Eyes shut, I see her night and day,
No inch of canvas furled,
As a swan full-breasted push her way
Up out of the underworld.

"'Tis but her wraith And all the time
These chested eyes grow dim.
Will her tardy topmasts never climb
Above the ocean's rim?"

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My ship of dreams I may never see
Slide swan-like to her berth
With her lading of sandal and spicery
Such as never grew on earth.

But from peril of storm and reef and shoal
From ocean's tumult and din,
My ship, her freight, a living soul,
Shall surely, erelong, come in.

—James Russell Lowell.

THE PORTRAIT.

Yes, there's one portrait on the wall,
To which none answers, like the rest;
Why wert thou, Death, unsatisfied
Till thou hadst claimed our fairest—best?

Sweet eyes that smile in memory still!
Sweet life, in love's meek duties planned!
The home is hallowed wherever your feet
Passed upwards to the Shining Land.

Glimpse of a Bright Home.

It came to me folded in a letter, received Thanksgiving day. The home is situated "way out west" in the wide fertile fields of Nebraska, or rather, in a village which is set in the midst of the fields. It opens as every housekeeper's letter will doubtless for all time to come, with an apology for delay—"so busy." And if you, reader, could know of the multitude of cares and the multi-form of them that seem not to weigh heavily upon her slender shoulders, you would understand that the hackneyed words can have a deep meaning. She writes so cheerfully of it all, one realizes how even the cares of life are lightened by the manner of meeting them. The spirit of the season moves her to say:

"I find so many things to be thankful for, one is my cosy little room where I can shut myself in when too hardly beset by the small trials of housekeeping. My cheerful fire is of Wyoming coal (five dollars a ton) which burns brightly enough just now, but which makes the tears flow by its tendency to smoke (in the kitchen stove on days when I have lots of baking on hand). I sit on the carpet before the ruddy glow, to be near baby while I write; now three-years old Paul comes in with his quaint questionings to interrupt my thoughts. The dear little ones, how the love of them fills the heart. * * *

* Husband is in the east, the first vacation in five years of steady work. We have had a little rain to-day, the first since early in September. It marks a new era for it has never rained here, so late in the season before. The climate is all the time changing, as our magnificent crops prove.

"What a grand gathering of women was that in Boston a little time ago, (the W. C. T. U. convention). I received the daily Union Signal and it made me feel when, when I read the fine addresses by those inspired women that it was good to be a woman, a Christian woman and a temperance woman. And where is there one like Frances Willard? I had the pleasure of meeting her at our state convention last year. How grandly they work and how much they accomplish. Those who have no home cares, and those who have many, as well. I have in mind Mrs. C. M. Woodward, our superintendent of railroad work, who was my guest when she lectured here. She wrote to her daughter "Be sure to tell Martha to brush the flies from the kitchen walls after a frosty night" and some other details of housekeeping. "You see," she said, by way of explanation, "I carry these little cares with me; they are so become a part of my life they do not burden. I can plan and direct as if I were there." The good woman has never had a child of her own but has taken five motherless ones into her home, bringing them up as she would her own, making noble men and women of them. I never saw sweeter, truer love and companionship than exists between the mother and the oldest daughter, particularly. And the crown of it all is, her husband adores her as the grand woman she is.

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In my observation here I see so many instances of the differences between man and woman in domestic life: If a man loses his wife he straightway distributes the children among his relatives and takes to drink, destroying himself soul and body, because he is overwhelmed by sorrow. While she, poor woman, resolutely rolls back her sleeves and takes in washing or goes out house-cleaning to keep her children together. And then they talk about the woman being the weaker vessel. It is too contemptible, and I have no patience with a man of that stamp. It shows how weak and how little respect they have for the memory of those they profess to love. Here was a man who had lost his wife and a child a year ago. He had been a lawyer, splendid education, faultless manners, and I knew him as a railway brakeman, boarding with us. He had been shifted from place to place and when he reached this point remained but little more than a week when he was discharged for drunkenness. A great, strong man, yet how weak."

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These are the glimpses of the home and the woman who makes it, that it is a pleasure to share with the Householders. The exact condition of affairs domestic and affairs social could be learned from the letters of women to one another more truly than from any other source. And it is the belief of your Household hostess, strengthened by this opportunity that comes to her, that the homes of the land were never so secure, so bright and so "expanding" in the world as they are to-day, and our own country furnishes the best example of the home with wide open doors from which a fragrant breath wafts out into the busy ways of public life, but through which no taint enters to disturb or vitiate. Our homes are not walled in from sight as are the castles of the old world. From the pioneer's remote dwelling as often as from the city residence with all modern improvement and ornamentation, comes the letter, beautiful in chirography, grand in sentiment and without fault in form and construction. It is these occasional glimpses into the homes of the land that renew one's faith in humanity and brighten one's belief in the upward and onward progress of the race.

The Monotony of Life.

Home is where the heart is—a saying that has lived so many many, years because it is so true.

It may be a small cot with a vine-enwreathed door,
A lattice with jessamine clambering o'er;
It may be a fine mansion with parlor and hall,
Hearts that love us are there which is better than all.

I once heard a home-mother say, "one of the delights of going away was always the returning." And sure enough, what else in the world is quite so restful. You know, and so do you, how you sometimes get so "tired of the sight of everything" that you see and handle continually day in and day out, that you almost long to fly away. Then is when you need to go visiting; run off somewhere if you possibly can and stay as long as you can. When you get home see how glad "everything" will be to see you; how entirely changed your feelings will be. What a delight to hang your coat on its own hook and thrust your "best shoes" into their own box and get out of "stays" and into slippers and wrapper. You can lock the door on the whole world (except those whom you want to come in). You will feel like shaking hands with the very pieces of furniture that you wanted put out of your sight a few days ago. You are rested, that's all the mystery there is about it. It is this monotony that wears out the nerves of home-keepers. They fall into the way of feeling that they can never be spared from their posts and the rest of the family very naturally imbibe the same idea. It crystalizes and becomes set. If the daughter of the house droops over her school desk, she must have a change. If pater familias has a twinge of backache or gets dismal or distranght, some good friend carries him off for a day or so of fishing or hunting, or horse trotting. If the son of the house worries and complains, he must have a bicycle or a boat or a gymnasium membership or something to vary his daily routine in school, office or shop, whatever it may chance to be. But mother is always at the treadmill and everybody is so accustomed to it, nobody remembers that she has nerves and sensibilities to get over-strained, or that her hands and eyes and feet may get weary and outworn.

One day a great shock comes to the household. The wheels of the machinery all clog and seem determined to stop. Mother lies in a darkened chamber with parched lips and delirious brain. Everything is out of joint from the cellar to the attic, when her hand is taken from the lever where it has held place so long without rest or change. They mourn, for the pain she suffers and as much for themselves that the house is so unsettled, so untidy and lonesome without her presence. They begin, dimly, to realize that it was her touch everywhere, from the looping of a curtain to the twist of a doughnut that made the home a bright, comfortable place to live in.

Happy the household which realizes these things before the patient hands are folded in their first and last long rest and hidden away "in the cool, dark chamber underground." For sooner or later it all comes home to the hearts that were so unconsciously selfish and cruel and the longing and remorse, when it is too late, are bitter to endure.

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It may not be known to all our Householders that one who has taken advantage of the welcome extended to all to "come in," is a patient in the Toledo Insane Asylum. A school teacher in her happier days, now her mind is not quite right through nervous disease, but you would get no hint of it in her clean, well-written, well-formed sentences. She is a great sufferer with pains in the head, but manages to keep an interest in the outside world through the medium of newspapers, and is as intelligent a reader of the Household as any of us. She sends to the Bee a protest against political sway over the asylum and like institutions. And a protest from a patient means much. She says, "it can scarcely be known how we long for the faces of our old friends, however kind the new ones may be." And now that another change is made in the governorship, she wonders what it means for them. She pleads "let philanthropy and not politics rule in these places; these arbitrary changes can be but detrimental to the patients;" they have no interest in politics, but they do become attached to those who have the daily care of them.

If it should occur to any member of the Household to remember our unfortunate friend by a little souvenir, the Household will gladly become the medium.

"Away to School."

It is always a sorrow when the time comes for the children to "go away" to school. Those who are so fortunate as to live in sight of the school house, seminary or college where the boys and girls of a family are to be educated do not understand exactly what the trial is that comes to homes not so fortunately situated. This trial has come to our Household sister who lives in Texas, away on a sheep ranch miles from town and miles from schools, and her only child, a boy of twelve, must go into a neighboring state to get his education. In the northern part of the state of Kansas, in Winfield, is the school and college where he is sent. His mother went with him, staid a week and saw him nicely settled and started before she left him. She writes: "Our home in the south is lovely now, but you may imagine how lonely I am."

To understand it still better, know that she has taught him at home; this is his first school experience. She misses him in the long horseback rides over the prairies. Parent and child become companions under such circumstances. "But," says the wise mother, "he was getting old enough to "watch the herd," "hunt the horses," "go to the round-up" and "hold the cut," "go on the circle" or help "drive," and no one but his mother-teacher realized how it interfered with study hours. So we concluded he must go away to school." (I send you one of his school essays. You see he followed the advice that used to be given us in school—write about that of which you know).

None of this was intended for publication, but you have heard how those publication but you have heard how those letters are often better than the set pieces, made for print. And in the liberty taken in giving them wider reading, care is exercised that no confidence is violated and no personality betrayed.

There is always something characteristic about a boy's "compositions;" a directness that is refreshing. The information they have to impart comes in chunks, as it were. "Charlie" was born and has always lived in the Indian country, near a reservation and a government post, where troops are stationed to keep an eye on the wily Comanches. Once he went camping with his parents in a party, and they got so near some wild Indians they moved away quietly the first night. So he wrote as follows about Indians.

Indians now live on their reservations, but they used to roam over the prairies at their own will. About ten years ago the Indians were very quarrelsome and would kill white people whenever they got a chance; often when a man would go out in the field to plow, the Indians would kill his family before he got back. They are treacherous and ill-tempered, and sometimes when they would capture a white man, they would tie his hands to a tree, then pile straw or something around it and set fire to it.

The Indians are very lazy and hate to do anything that is work. They make their wives saddle their horses, do the cooking and dress the game.

Indians are as a rule very good marksmen, and can kill a deer a long way off. When the Indians kill a deer they cut the meat in long slices and hang it around on bushes close to camp in the sun. When it is dry they put it away for winter.

The government gives them their rations now. It consists of such food as flour, corn and coffee, salt pork and salt. Some of the Indians have given up their wild habits and have got fine farms, while others have kept their old ways and do nothing that is good for anything.

C. C.

It might be explained that the air is so pure on the high rolling plains of northwest Texas, meat hung out in it will dry and "cure" before it will taint.

Christmas Hints.

Christmas is coming. Yes, 'tis almost here. Deep down, out of sight in human hearts, lies a soft and tender feeling at this season. Why do we love Christmas so well? There are many reasons. It is a time of glad, good will, a time when everybody loves to think and plan for others, a time of happy, happy giving and receiving. In many homes all over Christian lands plans and preparations are being matured for the enjoyment of the loved ones. Christmas was the happiest time of the year to us when young. Our mother used to make mottoes to put over the doors by taking white paper and cutting it about six inches wide and two or three feet long, and then sewing on little sprays of hemlock, bending them to form letters. Over one door we put "Merry Christmas," and over another we put "Happ New Year." In every household we would strongly urge Christmas decorations.

There is much pleasure in this home work. Let the children help in whatever way they can. We always trim with fir or hemlock For some things the double fir—we call it so—is lovely. Cedar and trailing evergreens are pretty when they are first arranged, but soon look dry and faded, while the hemlock will remain bright and glossy as long as we care for it, giving us no trouble about shedding its leaves. The children can snip the pieces of hemlock for more deft fingers to arrange. We then prepare it for festooning over the doors and windows. Where there is an arch or bay window, we should use two separate pieces making each seem to grow towards the center. The ends require a twig of hemlock, tied on, hanging down, to give them a finish.

Where the dark green trimmings fall among our plants at the south window the effect is lovely. Over some of the pictures we would suggest a spray or bow-knot of evergreen with long ends, over or under others a cross, dove or basket of flowers. If we have them, deep dishes filled with mosses, ferns, and other plants, with autumn leaves pinned here and there, and a bouquet of natural fresh flowers, placed underneath some of the trailing vines will give the room a very attractive appearance.

The work in itself gives pleasure, while it gives everything such a cheery, home look. And let us while we are preparing for the joyous Christmas tide in our own homes, look about us and see if we cannot help make some others happy who are not so favored as ourselves. Encourage in the children a spirit of giving as well as of receiving. There are a number of little articles that children can make that will be useful, besides it will make them happier and better children to feel that they have made some one else happy. I will add directions for making something useful for papa or ma. A table is a spectacle wiper, and is made by cutting out of soft chamois leather two perfectly round pieces an inch and a half across, bind the edges neatly with narrow ribbon, or buttonhole-stitch them with a bright-colored silk floss and fasten them together at the side with a bow of ribbon to match.

H. H.

Edinburg, Ind.

In the November Rain.

Musing at my chamber window, I look out into the dreary street where the cold rain falls onto the walk below. It is black November now. Minding not the gloomy prospect around me, memory resorts to other themes and scenes. I think of thee, Household and quietly taking my cloak, steal softly there in fancy, bearing in one hand this humble offering for the Bee—a paper first, among others since, which opened their doors to such a wanderer.

Beloved members, what are you all doing? Still so pleasantly chatting of many things in the dear familiar circle? Does any one ever think of the saucy servant girl who scolded so sometimes? I do. She is right here now, leaning against my unsteady table, picking up my pen, dabbling in my ink and bothering me as I write. That "Old Tattered Hat" lies in oblivion on the shelf, but the stubborn head that wore it still "bears aloft." Hark! voices below stairs break out in sudden laughter. "So," sighs the melancholy philosopher, "some people can rejoice. Others in the darkness of despairing solitude hunt for a little smile in vain." Who knows what she means? Only one who has survived the broad and bloomless wastes of a "domestic servant's" life, with its longings. Only one who still wanders in the desolate path can quite understand.

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An evergreen pine lifts its branches just over the way. As it leans toward my window with its lonesome, solitary look, it seems to sigh with me over the unhappiness of those for whom future fate seems to hold no rays of sunshine.

Yours,
SARAH GLADDEN.

New Idea.

A "Past and Present supper" is new, and easily managed. Have an even number of tables, half on one side of the vestry for the Past; the other half on the other, for the Present. The Past tables may have all the antique dishes and napery obtainable, be lighted with candles in brass candlesticks, and the attendants dressed in "ye olden style." Baked beans, brown bread, cold "boiled dinner," Indian pudding, pumpkin pie, doughnuts, cheese and spice cake form an attractive and appropriate bill-of-fare. The Present tables, in contrast, may be as elaborately decorated as is possible, lighted by piano or table lamps, and the ladies, serving as waitresses, dressed in modern costume. Scalloped oysters, cold chicken, lobster salad, angel-cake and snow puddings are suggestive for a list of Present food.—Home Journal.

The Scrap Basket.

The Goddess of Liberty may well be "looking out" a leedle bit or a big blustering old fellow named John Bull will be laughing at her and with reason. In the Conservative convention in Birmingham, pledge was given to extend to women the right of suffrage whenever the present system of parliamentary representation is dealt with. Lord Salisbury expressed himself decidedly in favor of it. Already English women have municipal franchise ahead of us, and exercise a greater influence in political campaigns.

"Adam," said Eve, as they went out the gate
When ordered to leave, "Is my hat on straight?"

The latest indication of American hero worship, says a writer in the Literary World, goes even higher than a lord.

One American crossed the herring pond this summer armed with an offer of £1,000 to secure the briefest possible magazine article from the Princess of Wales, but failed even to see her royal highness.

Another New York man travelled to London with a promise of $500 if he could secure a page interview with the Prince of Wales. A third was told off to reach the Empress Eugenie, and a fourth is said to be still in London vainly trying to reach the Princess Beatrice.

One could wish that Americans would not be such miserable toadies. They snub our celebrity hunters who go prying around over there and we open wide our doors and gates to the scribblers from that side of the water, and they caricature us or make silly gush as will sell best, in return for the courtesy. There are two Anglo-extremists in this country which bring us into disrepute: one is the hater of everything English for some fancied political advantage and the other is the toady, the man or woman who adores everything English and makes a contemptible snob of himself, or herself.

Through lessons from the past we wisely learn,
When turning history's darkly mottled page,
That earnest toilers, martyrs, slowly earn,
Whate'er of truth or right redeems each age.

In Milwaukee, Wis., are a family of father, mother and three daughters, all of whom are attorneys at law. Mrs. Pier, the mother, is also United States court commissioner and, barring Portia, was the first woman to sit as magistrate in the world. Miss Kate has tried nine cases before the supreme court and says she has lost some and has won others as important.

The divinity that doth hedge a king (or queen) is no longer divine. Queen Victoria gets scolded about in the public prints just like our own public officers, or like private individuals. Just now she has offended by attending an Italian opera after a thirty-years' abstinence from such dissipation. Why didn't she go and hear English artists?

Why, do thy day's work still,
The calm deep founts of love are slow to chill;
And heaven may yet the harvest yield, the work-worn hands to fill.

The nomination of a colored woman for the school board is a radical step forward, but there appears to be no other particular reason for astonishment at it, so long as she possesses the necessary brains and other qualifications. Miss Miller satisfies all the requirements in these respects, we believe.—Boston Globe.

In Absence.

My love is far away from me to-night.
O spirits of sweet peace, kind destinies,
Watch over her and breathe upon her eyes;
Keep near to her in every hurt's despite,
That no rude care or noisome dream affright.
So let her rest, so let her sink to sleep.

The late Mr. Florence never aspired to be a temperance lecturer, but he gave some excellent advice to topers. If you must drink, said he, buy a gallon of whisky at a time, and make your wife the bar-keeper. When you are dry, give her fifteen cents for a drink, and when the whisky is gone she will have, after paying for it, $6.75 left, and every gallon thereafter will yield the same profit. This money she should put away, so that when you have become an inebriate, unable to support yourself, and shunned by every respectable man, your wife may have money enough to keep you until your time comes to fill a drunkard's grave. There's some practical philosophy for you.

Mrs. Fannie Miller is deputy United States marshal, residing in Talahana, Idaho. She is a fearless rider and is as likely to trap a cattle thief as any detective on the plains. The marshal under whom she serves says her services are invaluable.

Do the readers of the Household know that the morning glory is a pretty plant for indoor blooming? One of these full of buds smiles in the window at headquarters, the gift of "Lisbet" for which thanks are sincerely spoken.

The People's Kitchen.

A writer in Harper's Weekly tells about "the People's kitchen" in Vienna. Not quite twenty years ago an association of four hundred noblemen and women was formed for the purpose of supplying wholesome dinners to the poor at minimum rates. To-day there are ten of these Volkskuchen (folks-kitchen) in Vienna, and in the course of a year food is sold to them to the value of more than $500,000. A number of the ladies make it a point to always be present when dinner is served. A description of them will be of interest to Household readers:

The "Volkskuchen" are huge rooms, with great windows letting in both sun and air, and provided with oak tables and benches, which are kept scrupulously clean. The floor is paved with marble, and at the lower end of the hall a wooden counter divides it from the actual kitchen, where many cooks are at work preparing the food. All classes, from poor university students to ragged looking tramps receive a kindly welcome. Each person approaches the counter and buys a pasteboard chip, or check, for a dinner, generally consisting of soup, beef, vegetables, a sweet and bread. This check is delivered to the ladies in attendance, who serve the portions on china plates and hand them to the hungry customers. The latter carry their food to the tables, upon which are placed great jugs of pure water, together with drinking mugs of pewter, and, comfortably seated on the benches, they eat to their hearts' content. The complete dinner, well cooked and daintily served, costs 4 cents, and a breakfast of coffee, bread and butter, and some kind of stew can be obtained in the early morning for 1 cent. From 6 to 9 in the evening supper is served at a cost of 2 cents. It is generally composed of cold meat, soup and pudding. It is a touching sight to watch the lovely and aristocratic court beauties of Vienna, wearing snowy aprons over their elegant walking dresses, distribute the food to the poor, ill-fed wretches who crowd the room. A kind smile or word of sympathy always accompanies the action, and when a particularly miserable fellow creature approaches the counter it often occurs that one or the other of these charming ministering angels inquires into his or her case, and undertakes to aid them in their trouble. Every day over 10,000 persons dine in the Volkskuchen, and the marvelously low prices at which the food is sold can only be accounted for by the huge quantities in which it is bought and prepared.

GOOD RECIPES

Contributed by Three Household Members.

Apple Snowdrift.—Eight fine large apples; one cup powdered sugar; one cup sweet cream; whites of three eggs. Peel and core the apples, and steam them until tender. Pile them in a shallow bowl or dish, filling the spaces left by the cores with apple or quince jelly. Whip the cream, and beat the whites of the eggs to a stiff froth with powdered sugar. Mix with the whipped cream, and pile over and around the apples. Sweet apples are best for this purpose.

To Serve with Roast Pork.—Peel as many potatoes as will cover the bottom of a big pie-dish. Sprinkle a half teaspoonful of dried sage over them. Cut an onion in thin slices, and spread them over this. Add salt and pepper and lumps of butter. Cover the bottom of the dish with water or milk, and bake in a moderate oven.

Broiled Sausages.—Split them in two, lengthwise, place them between a double-wire broiler, and broil on the flat sides first, and then turn and broil on the other. Turn a mound of hot apple sauce in the center of a hot, flat dish, arrange the sausages upon it, and serve.

Baked Hash.—Chop cold roast veal very fine, and to a cup of this allow a cup of cold boiled potatoes, minced fine, two-thirds of a cup of fine bread crumbs, an egg, a tablespoonful of butter, and salt and pepper to taste; put one-half cup of water or milk in a saucepan, add the butter, one-half teaspoonful of salt, a little pepper, and when boiling hot, stir in the hash, which should be well mixed together in the chopping tray, and stir it till well heated through. Remove from the fire, put the roll-pans on to heat, and butter them well. Beat the eggs well, and stir into the hash, and when the roll-pans begin to smoke, put a tablespoonful in each, dividing the remainder as evenly as possible, if there is more than this amount. Smooth over the top, and brown nicely in hot oven. Turn out on a hot plate, and serve quickly as possible. Corned beef or any kind of meat may be used in this way.

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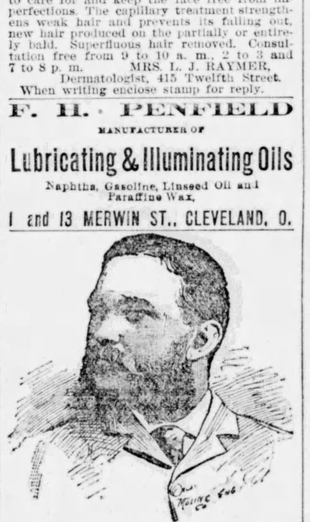

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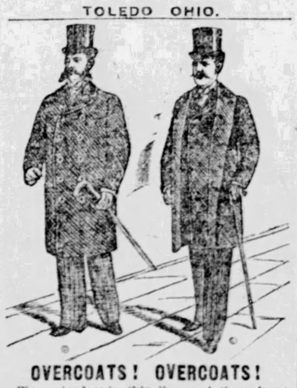

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London wheat market 6 pence per quarter lower; corn quiet. Liverpool wheat dull and 1-2 pence per 100 pounds lower. Corn 1-2 pence per 100 pounds lower.

The receipts of wheat at seven principal western points to-day are 811,605 bu, compared with 446,395 bu on the same day last year.

California Wheat Movement.—The receipts at San Francisco in the week ending Nov. 28 equaled 567,449 bu of wheat and 30,958 bbls of flour. The exports equaled 624,260 bu of wheat and 64,340 bbls of flour.

Buffalo says: "The weather along the Erie canal is quite mild. All grain boats will get through."

Northwest Wheat Movement.

Duluth, Nov. 30.—Total grain movement for the past three months of the crop year in the spring wheat states of Minnesota and the two Dakotas shows receipts at the two terminal points—Duluth and Minneapolis—of 53,896,000 bu. These figures are official for both cities, estimating only the last day of November. This is estimated at one-third of the crop of the three states. Of this Duluth received 29,064,000 bu. and Minneapolis 24,832,000 bu.

The receipts of wheat to-day at seven principal western points are 305,210 bus, in excess of the corresponding Saturday in 1890.

The receipts of grain this week at eight principal western points have been wheat, 6,261,000 bus. Corn, 3,140,000 bus. Oats, 2,220 bus. Previous week: wheat, 7,195,000 bus. Corn, 2,040,000 bus. Oats 1,850,000 bus. In the week corresponding to this in 1890, wheat 3,429,000 bus. Corn 1,304,000 bus. Oats, 1,089,000 bus., showing an increase this week compared with 1890, of wheat, 2,832,000 bus.; corn, 1,836,000 bus.; oats, 550,000 bus.

The export clearances yesterday from four Atlantic ports were 285,878 bu of wheat and flour, to an aggregate of 490,000 bu. Exports of corn, 75,289 bu and of oats, 16,417 bu. The exports from the same ports for the week were wheat 2,372,000 bu, corn 483,000 bu, oats 555,000 bu. Previous week, wheat, 2,188,000 bu, corn 376,000 bu, oats 254,000 bu.

Bradstreet's gives the exports of wheat at 11 ports on both coasts 5,660,000 bu. Previous week, 4,080,000 bu.

Markets To-day.

The wheat markets of this country remain dull and uninteresting. The trading is light and principally by the room traders on the exchanges, in which the longs and shorts are concerned. Markets abroad are lower, and also dull. It is a time between hay and grass. Receipts of wheat are considerably decreased this week, and very naturally, but some of the loss is attributed to a congested condition of railway transportation, and great demand for cars. The decrease in wheat receipts this week at eight principal western points is 900,000 bu. Corn increased 1,100,000 bu. Oats increased 380,000 bu. The exports at 11 ports, on both coasts exceed previous week, according to Bradstreet's, 1,000,000 bu. of wheat, and flour as wheat. These two points, of receipts and exports, are by no means bearish, but do not affect prices much. They are about all the influences worth mentioning. Prices report on the condition of the growing crop gives nothing new. He has reported no growing that there has been no improvement. We know that the plant is stronger everywhere than three weeks since, and if we have open winter for a few weeks it will further improve. We cannot join in killing the crop yet. All depends on future weather conditions.

In New York prices have not varied much to-day, and at 12 o'clock December and May wheat closed 1-8c lower. December corn 1-4c lower. May unchanged. December oats 3-8c up.

Markets by Telegraph.

London, Dec. 5.—1:00 p. m.—Wheat cargoes off coast at opening quiet; maize nothing offering. Wheat cargoes on passage and for shipment, quiet; maize cargoes quiet, red winter wheat for prompt shipment, 30s 10½d, American terms, 40s. Red winter wheat for steamer and following month, 480 lbs, American terms, 40s. No. 1 California wheat just shipped or promptly to be shipped, 500 lbs, California terms, 44s 6d; No. 1 California wheat nearly due, 500 lbs, California terms, 44s 6d.

Liverpool, Dec. 5.—1:00 p. m.—Wheat market dull, demand poor, holders offer moderately. American mixed corn quiet, demand poor, 4s 1½d. No. 2 spring wheat 6d. Steamboat inspection 5s 5½@ 5s 5 1-2d. No. 2 red winter wheat (New York inspection 5s 5½@5s 5 1-2d. Wheat and corn off coast demand poor.

Chicago, Dec. 5.—Close—Wheat—December, 91c; May, 91 5-8@91 3-4c. Corn—December, 47 1-4@47 3-8c; January, 42 3-4c; May, 43c. Oats—December, 32c; January, 31 5-8c; May, 32 7-8c. Pork—December, $8.32 1-2; January, $11.12 1-2; May, $11.60. Lard—January, $6.12 1-2; May, $6.52 1-2. Ribs—January, $5.50; May, $5.87 1-2.

Detroit, Dec. 5.—Close—Wheat—No. 2 red cash, 95 1-2c; December, 95 1-2c; May, 81 7-8; No. 1 white cash, 83 3-4c bid. Corn—No. 2 cash, 50c. Oats—No. 2 cash, 34 1-2c.

New York, Dec. 5.—Money, 3 per cent. Exchange closed steady; posted rates, $4.82@4.87; actual rates, $4.81 for 60 days and $4.84 for demand.

Governments quiet; currency 6s, 108 bid; 4s, coupons, 117 1-4 bid; extended 2s, registered, 100 bid.

New York, Dec. 5.—Flour heavy on a freer selling; fine, $2 90@3 65; superfine, $3 25@3 90; Minn. extra, $3 65@5 60; city mills extra, $5 25 for West Indies, subsequently rallied 1-4c, closing steady; Wheat—Spot weak and 1-8c lower but No. 2 red winter cash, $1 05; December, $1 03 7-8; January, $1 05 1-4; February, $1 06 5-8. Corn opened weak and 1-4c lower but rallied later on and closed at a recovery of 1-8c; No. 2 mixed cash, 67c; December, 60 1-2c; January, 54 7-8c. Oats quiet; No. 2 mixed cash, 41@41 1-2c; December, 41 1-4c; January, 40c. Rye dull and easier at $1 03@1 05. Barley quiet; No. 2 Milwaukee, 73@74c. Molasses slow at 30c@38c for new crop New Orleans. Sugar refined fairly active and firm; cutloaf and crushed, 5 1-8c; powdered, 4 3-8c; granulated, 4 5-16@4 7-16; confectioners' A, 4 15-16c. Coffee strong; fair rio cargoes, 16 1-8c. Rice nominal. Pork quiet; new mess, $9 75@$10 75. Lard quiet; December, $6 41; January, $6 52. Butter quiet and weak; western extra, 29@29 1-2c. Cheese dull; Ohio flat, 8@9c. Eggs dull but steady; western fresh, 27 1-2c. Turpentine quiet; 33 1-2@34c. Rosin dull; strained to good, $1 35@1 40. Tallow steady; prime city, 4 5-8c. Petroleum nominal. Freights dull; grain to Liverpool, 5d.

Live Stock.

New York, Dec. 5.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,225 head, including 48 cars for sale. The market was 10c per cwt higher. Sales of native steers at $3 70@5 25 per cwt, bulls and cows at $1 30@3 75. Dressed beef was steady at 6 1-2@9 1-2c per lb for native sides. Shipments to-morrow 1,874 beeves and 7,760 quarters of beef.

Calves—Receipts 337 head. The market was steady. Sales of veals at $5 00@6 00 per cwt, grassers at $2 25@2 1-2.

Sheep—Receipts 4,040 head. The market was slow. Sheep sold at $2 75@4 75 per cwt, lambs at $5 00@5 75. Dressed mutton was steady at 7@8 1-2c per lb, and dressed lambs weak at 7 1-2@9c.

Hogs—Receipts 4,030 head, consigned direct. The market was nominally steady. Sales at $3 60@4 00 per cwt.

Chicago, Dec. 5.—The Evening Journal reports: Cattle—Receipts 8,000 head, shipments 2,000 head. The market was steady to strong. Top prices for native steers, $5 00@5 35 per cwt, no prime steers on sale; others at $2 45@4 50, stockers at $2 00@2 75, cows at $1 25@2 45.

Hogs—Receipts 35,000 head, shipments 6,000 head. The market was active and higher. Sales of rough and mixed at $3 40@3 65 per cwt, prime heavy and butchers' weights at $3 70@3 85, light at $3 20@3 50.

Sheep—Receipts 4,000 head, shipments none. The market was a shade stronger. Sales of native ewes at $2 00@4 25 per cwt, mixed at $4 25@4 50, wethers at $3 75@5 25, westerns at $4 40@4 80, lambs at $3 75@5 25.

Kansas City, Dec. 5.—The Live Stock Indicator reports: Cattle—Receipts 4,050 head, shipments 2,735 head. The market Sales of native steers at $3 50@6 10 per cwt, cows at $3 50@3 75, stockers and feeders at $3 40@4 00.

Hogs—Receipts 1,850 head, shipments 1,530 head. The market was steady to 5c lower. Sales of all grades at $2 65@4 75 per cwt, the bulk at $3 10@3 75.

Sheep—Receipts 1,025 head, shipments 90 head. The market was unchanged.

East Liberty, Dec. 5.—Cattle—Receipts 735 head, shipments 693 head. There was nothing doing to-day; all through consignments. Prime to extra steers at $5 00@5 25 per cwt, fair to good at $3 50@4 25, common at $2 25@2 50, good feeders at $3 00@4 00, stockers at $2 50@3 00, bulls, cows and stags at $1 50@2 50, fresh cows at $15 00@45 00. Two cars of cattle shipped to New York to-day.

Hogs—Receipts 4,900 head, shipments 5,500 head. The market was active. Sales of selected Philadelphias at $3 75@3 80 per cwt, good Yorkers and mixed at $3 50@3 70. Closing firm. Three cars of hogs shipped to New York to-day.

Sheep—Receipts 400 head, shipments 600 head. The markets was very slow, with little doing at about unchanged prices. Prime sheep at $4 80@5 10 per cwt, fair to good at $4 00@4 50, common at $1 00@3 00, lambs at $3 50@5 50, veal calves at $4 50@6 50.

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Martin, the Dynamiter, Must Go to Prison.

The Circuit Court Has Affirmed the Verdict Rendered by the Lower Court.

Upper Sandusky, O., Dec. 5.—Elias Martin, the fellow who created so much public interest about a year ago in an attempt to murder his son-in-law, Jno. Ankney, and family, by blowing their house up with dynamite, will serve out his ten year sentence in the penitentiary, as the circuit court, to which his case was carried on alleged error, has affirmed the judgment of the lower court.

DETHRONED.

The Chains Are Broken of the Monster Demon—Drink.

Special Correspondence Toledo Bee.

Plymouth, Ind., Dec. 4, 1891.

Some weeks ago the writer had the pleasure of dating a letter at this place, in which mention was made of the "Plymouth Institute."

At no time has it afforded the writer greater pleasure in making note of the many reforms instituted, and which are so successfully conducted, bringing relief and joy to many a saddened heart, than it does in this instance.

Few persons have displayed more energy and perseverance in the field of public reforms, and very few men have so successfully ministered to their fellow men as has Dr. T. A. Borton, of this city, who is the physician in charge at this retreat for the slave to strong drink. It is not the purpose of the writer to endeavor to arouse public appreciation to the extent of misery which this habit is causing throughout this country, nor to the marked attention that is being given to the treatment as prescribed at this Institute; for there are others in this country that are doing very excellent work in their efforts to save the many unfortunate victims of the "drink habit," but looking at this noble work from a humanitarian standpoint, it affords the writer the greatest satisfaction to note the wonderful advance made in applying this scientific medical treatment to these unfortunates who are coming here in increased numbers annually.

Prominent among the slaves to the appetite for strong drink are found some of our brightest and best business men, statesmen, lawyers, play actors, mechanics and tillers of the soil; men who might have irradiated the world with their brilliancy and power—all have succumbed to its influence while their experience in endeavoring to relieve themselves by the abandonment of the habit find that the horrors of their situation has only commenced when their insatiable and craving appetite holds them to their bondage, and that without assistance there is little hope for the "steady drinker." This assistance is not only offered here, but is given, to the delight and satisfaction of all who have come within the reach of this rapidly growing remedy.

The large increase in the number of patients is arousing a wonderful interest all over this state, for the people are beginning to realize that this is practical temperance and something that can be relied upon. While no one realizes this fact more than those who have been cured, and from whom the management have received many letters of grateful acknowledgement for the relief they have received from this happy experiment.—No, it is not an experiment, but a grand and good remedy successfully administered.

It is learned that the large increase of patients and the confidence established will necessitate the enlargement of their facilities for the accommodation of patients. These intelligent people who have shown their confidence and willingness to be treated at this place can not say too much in praise of Dr. Borton's treatment and methods, for the cure is permanent and the patient who is now able to live without the "cursed stuff" is the most grateful man on earth.

The alarming increase in the amount of liquor consumed in the United States is enough to stamp the well meaning citizen, while the number of men and women who have from the very force of habit been made victims of this abomination, have heretofore been led to believe that no medical treatment could possibly save them from becoming total wrecks of their former selves, and that they could not be brought back to their manhood among men—where the Divine Creator intended they should stand; but as time passes on, the learned medical men take a hand in this and show to the world that the chloride of gold scientifically administered will not only assist, but effect a permanent cure, and put the patient back to where he was before the appetite was formed.

Some one has said that man is a bundle of habits; that you cannot separate him from his habits; and that habits determine what he is. This is true. He who fills his brain with intoxicating drinks and unfits his reason and judgment from performing the functions that nature intended, is held unworthy to fulfill the duties of manhood. A healthy public sentiment now says that the man who habitually drinks shall not hold an office of public trust or profit. This is a step in the right direction. Public sentiment makes a law stronger than that upon the statute books. Sunday laws have been passed for the suppression of intoxicating drinks; immense fines have been imposed to do away with the liquor traffic; yet all have failed in certain localities because public sentiment did not sustain them. But right here in this little city, within the reach of all who want to live a different life, there is a most noble work being done, an institution that is building up and doing more for the cause of temperance than can be accomplished in years by the old methods of long-winded temperance stories to the man who asks for help.

Here is a treatment that is receiving the attention of scientists, humanitarians, temperance workers, and an appreciative public. The best of satisfaction is given to the many who have availed themselves of this opportunity to break away from their former habits and start anew, while it is very gratifying, not only to the people at the head of this Institute, but to the citizens of Plymouth and the world at large to know that much good is coming from this practical temperance work; it is a movement in the right direction, and to all who are desirous of seeking relief, they can do nothing that will bring to them such satisfactory results as a few weeks' treatment at this place.

HOLIDAY RATES.

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

In order to give their patrons a chance to properly celebrate the holidays, the Wheeling & Lake Erie railway will sell excursion tickets between all stations on their line, at low excursion rates for the round trip.

Tickets will be sold on December 24, 25 and 31, and January 1, 1892, and will be good for return passage up to and including January 4, 1892. Children between the ages of 5 and 12 years, half excursion rate.

For any further information regarding rates on the W. & L. E. railway, or any of its connecting lines, apply to the nearest agent of the W. & L. E. railway, or to

JAS. M. HALL,
General Passenger Agent.

THE KNIFE AT WORK.

An Eruption in Toledo Passenger Circles.

Two Lines Lock Horns and the Struggle Is On.

Western Rates Will Be Ruthlessly Slaughtered—The Wabash Left the C. T. Association—More to Follow.

An eruption is about to occur in Toledo passenger circles that will no doubt completely demoralize the ranks of the passenger department of the Central Traffic association.

At the November meeting of the Toledo Passenger committee the Wabash filed charges against the Clover Leaf, alleging that this company had been making a rate of $100 from Toledo to San Francisco and return against the traffic rate of $108.80. A ticket purchased, accompanied by an affidavit, were appended to the charges.

It was also charged that the Clover Leaf made a rate of $13.50 to Kansas City against the tariff rate of $17, and that tickets have been sold through scalpers.

The Clover Leaf filed similar charges against the Wabash.

The charges preferred by the Wabash against the Clover Leaf were strictly of a local nature and confined to the jurisdiction of the Toledo Passenger committee, for the reason that the Clover Leaf is not a member of the Central Traffic association.

The Wabash is a member of the Central Traffic association, and when the Clover Leaf filed counter charges the matter was taken up by proper authorities of this association.

It is stated on reliable authority that a few days ago a spotter of the Central Traffic association was in the city and bought a ticket of a scalper over both lines, one of the Wabash from Toledo to San Francisco for $100, and another over the Clover Leaf, also through a scalper, to Kansas City for $13.50.

The Clover Leaf is not a member of any passenger association, is therefore not bound to any constitution or stipulated rate, and is free to make any rate it chooses. This line has been doing some gigantic hustling for southwest and western business and it is all the more galling to Central Traffic association lines to be compelled to stand back and see the Clover Leaf walk off with business, while they are compelled to stand back and take what is left. It seems the Wabash could not stand the pressure and made the rate regardless of rules and regulations.

Since the charges have been made, it is reported that the Wabash has resigned its membership in the Michigan Passenger association, and is now in the field arrayed in its war clothes, ready for the fray.

Since this state of affairs has come about, the Lake Shore is looking about to see what can be done, and it is expected that this line will follow suit, as will all other western roads.

This turmoil has been alive under the surface for two months, but it will break through the crust in a short time, and when it does there is going to be some lively times in Toledo passenger circles and elsewhere.

This is but a forerunner of the total collapse of the Central Traffic association, that is sure to occur in 1893, when the world's fair opens up. The roads are going in to do the business, traffic associations or not, and no set of rules or threatened fines will keep them from it.

Switching in East Toledo.

"It is only a matter of time, when there will be a horrible wreck in East Toledo," remarked an old railroad man to a Bee. "I switched in the yards over there and I am surprised that an accident hasn't happened before this. So far as management goes, the Lake Shore yards are superior in every respect, as the switches are operated automatically from a tower, while the switches in East Toledo are worked by hand. I have seen passenger trains come down through those yards at the rate of 30 miles an hour, many a time. If there had been another train in the way or a switch misplaced, the Lake Shore wreck would not be a comparison."

Clover Leaf Earnings.

The following statement shows the earnings of the Toledo, St. Louis & Kansas City road for the fourth week and month of November:

Week—1891	$ 48,062
Week—1890	43,536
Increase	$ 5,126
Month—1891	$180,589
Month—1890	143,393
Increase	$ 36,996

The Vanderbilt Party in Toledo.

The special train of the Vanderbilt inspection party passed through this city yesterday afternoon. It consisted of the following officials: Messrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, President Chauncey M. Depew, of the New York Central; H. Walter Webb, third vice president, and H. McK. Twombley, one of the directors of the Central, President H. B. Ledyard, of the Michigan Central; John Hone, jr., Chas. F. Cox and Samuel Barton.

The train was made up of the richly appointed private cars of Mr. Vanderbilt.

President John Newell, of the Lake Shore, was in the city yesterday on business, and his private car was attached to the train.

The trip is but the usual full tour of inspection.

Made His Last Run.

One of the oldest locomotive engineers in the country was buried at Steubenville this week. His name was Robert Woods, or "Bob," as he was known best by the boys. He was considered the fastest and most daring engineer on the road, yet he was a careful one in every sense. At the age of 22 he entered the service of the old Steubenville & Indiana as fireman, and after a quick promotion to engineer served faithfully for 19 years. In 1876, while at his post of duty, he was stricken with blindness caused from overwork, and had to leave the footboard. The company, in recognition of his services, presented him with a home.

Rates Authorized.

Reduced rates have been granted by the Central Traffic association for the session of the Penman's association at Louisville, December 28-31. The association declined to make a rate for the meeting of the Ohio State Horticultural society at Ravenna, December 9-11, because arrangements were not completed in time.

Appointed Commercial Agent.

C. C. McNeil, local agent of the Flint & Pere Marquette, has been appointed commercial agent of that line, to look after the business of Toledo, Cincinnati and other important cities throughout the state. His headquarters will be in this city.

Cinders Here and There.

C. F. Wilcox, trainmaster of the Wabash, fas in the city yesterday.

The Pan Handle will run double-headers between Columbus and Cincinnati.

The regular meeting of the Central Traffic freight committee will be held in Chicago next Tuesday.

The Pennsylvania will run three Golden Gate excursions to California during the present season. The dates will be January 13, February 24, and April 30.

A. F. Stewart, formerly master mechanic of the Michigan Central at Jackson, has accepted a similar position with the Chesapeake & Ohio road, with headquarters at Huntington, W. Va.

Commencing with January 1 all roads in the territory of the Chicago & Ohio River Traffic association will carry ministers at half rates instead of two-thirds the regular rate for years past.

Five thousand, five hundred and sixty-five postal clerks distributed 8,546,370,000 pieces of mail on 140,736 miles of railroad during the last fiscal year. It cost $38,845,066 for inland transportation of mail and $599,215 for foreign service.

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SIR EDWIN ARNOLD.

The Distinguished Author Arrives in the City.

Sir Edwin Arnold is at the Boody. The author of "The Light of the World," who speaks at Wheeler's to-night under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A., is a gentleman of medium height with gentle dark-blue eyes and a tinge of grey in his dark hair.

Mr. Arnold, being a newspaper man himself, feels kindly disposed towards the fraternity and treats them with uniform courtesy and respect.

Speaking with a reporter on how he entered newspaper life he said:

"It was thirty years ago. I had been in India with my first wife and we had returned to England. She was very much opposed to our ever going back to India. We were fishing one day and I picked up a newspaper in which there was an advertisement for a man to work on the Telegraph, which was then being started. 'There,' said I to my wife, 'that is the thing that will prevent me from returning to India.' I answered the advertisement, secured the position and began work. I have done all kinds of newspaper work and I think it is all honorable, whether it be reporting a fire or police court or writing editorials. I would be perfectly willing, if it were necessary, to do any kind of newspaper work. Since the early days when I began to work on the Telegraph it has increased immensely in circulation and power and my dear friends, the publishers, have become wealthy."

BUCKEYE SHELLS.

Bowling Green is still talking waterworks.

Sheriff E. A. Brown of Wayne county is dead.

Warren county is to have another school district.

The cheese factory at Hartland has been closed down.

Three frame buildings were destroyed by fire at Sullivan.

It is proposed to increase the salary of Cleveland policemen.

A brass band of 15 pieces has been organized at Norwalk.

A fund to procure manufactories is talked of in Findlay.

A new $28,000 church has been completed at Steubenville.

Hon. H. T. Van Fleet, a prominent citizen of Marion, is dead.

A large flouring mill and elevator are to be erected in Wilmington.

A confidence man worked several Defiance citizens for a neat sum.

The Adams Brick and Clay company has been organized at Roseville.

The Camp Brick company will soon begin to operate at Greentown.

Matthew W. Anderson, a promintent citizen of Willshire, dropped dead.

The Lakeside company is arranging a program for next season at Lakeside.

The Erie county Gun club will shoot for a prize at Sandusky, next Wednesday.

An entertainment will be given by local talent to improve the city hall at Marietta.

Edward M. Lowes, an inmate of the insane asylum at Dayton, committed suicide.

The Champaign County Teachers' association will meet at Urbana, December 19.

The citizens of Mt. Vernon are endeavoring to raise $50,000 to pipe gas into town.

Ashtabula will petition congress to appropriate $315,000 for the improvement of their harbor.

The Findlay Market company recently organized has purchased the principal grocery in that city.

Tax inquisitors have placed $14,167 worth of property on the Van Wert county tax duplicate.

Rodefer Bros., glass manufacturers of Bellaire, are experimenting with crude oil as fuel for their plant.

A prisoner named Muncie, of Graytown, committed suicide in the Ottawa county jail at Port Clinton.

The citizens of Wauseon will hold a mass meeting Sunday evening to institute a general reform movement.

A shaft 12 feet deep has revealed a five foot vein of first class coal within the city limits of Zanesville.

Lorenzo Allen and Lizzie Allen were married on the open highway near Reesville, by the light of a lantern.

A traveling man named W. C. Davis, of Hartwell, Hamilton county, was found dead in bed at the Windsor hotel, Zanesville.

The gas trustees of Upper Sandusky are endeavoring to purchase two gas wells of C. C. Warner, located near Crawford.

The citizens of West Park have petitioned the Findlay gas trustees to pipe gas to the manufacturing industries of that flourishing suburb.

Eight Cincinnati policemen visited the kitchen of a prominent Walnut Hills resident who was entertaining, and were served before the guests.

Miss Alice F. Schlabach, a prominent young lady of Canton, was assaulted early in the evening on the main street of the city by an unknown man.

A convention is to be held in Alliance to organize a base ball league consisting of Youngstown, East Liverpool, Canton, Massillon, Wooster, Akron, Salem and Alliance.

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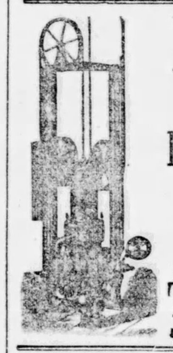

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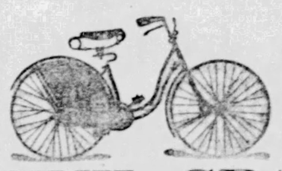

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MALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—A REGISTERED PHARMAcist at once. Address E. 65, care Bee. 33

WANTED—YOUNG MAN EXPERIENCED at bronzing; also one who can do tin work. The Central Chandelier Co.

WANTED—FOR THE UNITED STATES army, able-bodied, unmarried men, between the ages of 21 and 35 years; good pay, rations, clothing and medical attendance; applicants must be prepared to furnish satisfactory evidence as to age, character and habits. Apply at 4th floor, Bass Block, Calhoun st., Ft. Wayne, Ind. 3julytfm

YOUNG MAN TO MANAGE OFFICE IN Saginaw. Salary $75 per month; must furnish best references and $250 cash capital. Address Room 3, 4th floor, 271 Woodward ave., Detroit. 5dec6

WANTED—ACTIVE MEN TO SELL the life of Charles Stewart Parnell; easy to sell on account of the eminence of the subject, the beauty of the work and the cheapness of the price; liberal commission. Address E. 74, Bee office. 29

SOLICITORS WANTED TO HANDLE our new goods; big money for the right parties. Apply 41 1-2 Law Building. 30

BOY WANTED—CALL AT BEE JOB Rooms, 136 St. Clair street. 30

SALESMEN WANTED EVERYWHERE for new metal specialties for business men; also side line for drummers; big pay; send for samples at once. Wright Mnfg. Co., 34 Park Row, New York City. 28nov8sat

COATMAKERS WANTED—NONE BUT first-class workmen need apply. Call at A. Machen & Co.'s, 319 Superior street.

WANTED—BARBER FOR SATURDAY, 605 South St. Clair st.

WANTED—MAN ACQUAINTED WITH the retail trade of Toledo and vicinity. Call at Room 19, Bee Building. 28

WANTED—A FEW GOOD MEN IN TOledo to help advertise Rival Erasive Soap. None but those that are acquainted and respectable needed. Address Rival Erasive Soap Co., 504 Superior st., Toledo. 29

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—GIRL ABOUT 16 YEARS, TO do light housework and take care of children. Call at 526 Vance st. 27

WANTED—GOOD GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Call at 721 Collingwood ave. 27

WANTED — IMMEDIATELY — A GIRL for general housework in family of four; good wages to good girl; at 611 Madison st.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL housework, family of three. Apply to Mrs. S. J. Stock, 2050 Collingwood ave. 28

WANTED — A FIRST-CLASS DINING-room girl and lady dish-washer, for hotel in North Baltimore. Address T. H. Carter. 27

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GIRL FOR general housework at 1418 Cherry street, C. F. Roulet. 29

WANTED — LADY PARTNER TO travel with man in theater. Address E 71, Bee office. 29

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED WOMAN cook; good wages; 552 Ontario street. 29

WANT A GOOD COMPETENT GIRL TO do general housework in family of two, out of city. Apply at once at Mrs. E. Reed's, 2872 Cherry street. 30

HOUSEWORK — WANTED, EXPERIenced German girl for general housework; no children. Mrs. King, 234 Tenth st. 30

HOUSEWORK—WANTED, GIRL FOR general housework. Apply to 641 West Woodruff ave. 30

WANTED—A GOOD WOMAN TO DO washing at 1116 Adams st. 31

WANTED—PASTRY COOK AT THE Burnett. 31

WANT GERMAN GIRL FOR GENERAL housework at 616 Madison street. 31

WANT GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork. Apply 229 20th st. 31

WANT GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork. Call at 1854 Parkwood ave. 31

WANTED—LADY CASHIER—ONE WHO understands bookkeeping; must come well recommended. Call at 28 Superior st. 33

WANTED—LADY TO ASSIST IN HOLIday work. Call 816 Superior street, before 10 a. m. and after 6 p. m. 33

WANTED—CLEANING GIRL AT ONCE, Burnett House. 27nov2

HOUSEWORK—WANTED, GIRL FOR general housework, German preferred; some well recommended. Apply 233 17th st. 34

HOUSEWORK—WANTED, GIRL FOR general housework at 1919 Lawrence ave.; on Belt Line. A desirable place for a capable girl. 34

COOK—EXPERIENCED WHITE MAN cook, wishes situation at moderate wages. Address Frank Opel, general delivery, city. 34

WANTED—A NURSE GIRL FOR CHILD 2 years old. Call in forenoon at 435 Huron street.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork. 1449 Huron street, old No. 705. 34

HOUSEWORK—WANTED—A WILLING girl to cook and do general housework in small family. Apply Mrs. Scadding, 2278 Ashland ave. 34

ROOMS FOR RENT.

ROOMS FOR RENT — FURNISHED rooms, suitable for gentlemen or housekeeping; 930 Summit st. Miss Hahnel. 4dec2p

FOR RENT—7-ROOM HOUSE AT 813 Dorr street, newly papered and painted; natural and artificial gas, well and cistern water, also barn; neighborhood first-class. Call at 725 East Bancroft st. 4dec6p

ROOMS—UNFURNISHED AND NEATLY furnished rooms, with bath glasses, for rent cheap. Half square from Belt line. References required. 124 Prescott st. 4dec2p

FOR RENT—FLATS, NEAR WHEELING depot, $10 and $12 50; Central East Side cottages, $5 and $7 50 per month. T. B. Tucker & Co., 11 Chamber of Commerce. 3dec6p

FOR RENT — NICELY FURNISHED rooms, single or en suite, neat, clean, light and bath, (two gases) very central. Apply at New Mission Flats, 719 Adams street. Terms reasonable. 1dec6p

FOR RENT — NICELY FURNISHED rooms; also rooms for light housekeeping, with use of bath. Apply at 28 Ontario st., bet. Monroe and Washington. 30nov6p

FOR RENT—TWO NICE ROOMS, FURnished or unfurnished, with gas; 10 minutes walk from postoffice. Call 1117 Washington street. 27nov-tf

FURNISHED ROOMS SINGLE AND EN suite and board. Inquire 220 Huron street. 15sep-tf

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY TO LOAN—ON IMPROVED city real estate; and on short time on approved chattels, without moving. J. P. Delphey & Co., Real Estate, 7 Adams Block, cor. St. Clair and Adams sts. 12nov1m

MONEY TO LOAN—IF YOU WANT $25 to $500 on chattel mortgage, I will negotiate such loans on fair terms. M. O. Waggoner, office and residence, 613 Madison street. 24octlyr

MONEY—TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE in large or small amounts at low rate of interest. T. S. Merrell, 512 Madison street. 17auglyr

MONEY TO LOAN ON HOUSEHOLD goods, pianos, horses, wagons, etc., without removal; partial payments received reducing cost pro rata; all business strictly confidential. Croft, Room 14, Worthington Block, Adams and Superior streets. 16may-tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—HORSE AND BUGGY—Good, gentle horse, can be driven by a lady; can be seen at 612 Elm st. 4dec3

FOR SALE—RESIDENCE—2040 FRANKlin avenue; lot 75 feet front; house contains modern improvements, and is, without doubt, one of the most desirable locations in the city. Will be sold at reasonable price and terms to desirable purchaser. Apply to W. C. Crabbs, Boody House block. 4dec-tf

HOUSE FOR SALE — HOUSEHOLD goods, furniture, carpets, bed-room suit and bedding, cooking stove, table and chairs, dishes, etc., to be sold at once, at No. 7 E. Bancroft st. 4dec2p

FOR SALE—TWO RABBIT HOUNDS, broke; one breech-loading shot gun, double-barrel; cost, shells and tools; inquire 839 W. Washington st. 3dec3p

ENGLISH MASTIFF PUPS FOR SALE—Pedigree furnished. C. K. Martin, care Schauss Mfg. Co., City. Phone 1177. 1dec6p

GROCERY FOR SALE—CHEAP FOR cash, to right party. Address E. 69, Bee office. 1dec6p

FOR SALE—AT A BARGAIN, A NEW stock of groceries and fixtures; good location; one of the best streets in the city. Apply to R. A. Bartley, wholesale grocer. 30nov6

WANTED—THE PEOPLE TO KNOW that they can always get fresh fish and all kinds of sea food at 622 Monroe street, near Erie; everything first-class. J. A. Nadeau & Co. 28novlm

WANTED—AT ONCE, ONE DINING-room girl, one kitchen girl, at the Empire House, 821 Summit st. 33

FOR SALE—GENUINE SINGER SEWing Machine at a bargain; cost $55; will sell for $20 cash; is good as new; owner no use for it. Address E 73, Bee office. 3dec3p

FOR SALE—GOOD LOT ON CHERRY street, near Sherman street, well located, 41x130. Will sell at reasonable figure. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—ON BARTLETT STREET, near Wells street, frontage to suit, lots 127 feet deep. Special inducements to parties desiring to build. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—STRICTLY FIRST CLASS property on Superior st., between Madison and Jefferson street; very desirable for improvement or investment; get our figures. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—LOT ON LINCOLN AVE., near Shaw ave., 55x120; good location; street cars convenient; prices reasonable. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—ON ERIE ST., NORTH TOledo, two lots at a bargain, each 25 feet front. For prices and particulars see Irving B. Hiett & Co.

BLACKSMITH SHOP FOR SALE — Blacksmith's tools and small stock iron; good location for right man; no competition. Address E. C. Thrall, Hector, O. 5dec6

FOR SALE—LOT IN CHERRY PLACE on Kent street, near Page street; good location; will sell at very reasonable price. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—ON COLLINGWOOD AVE., near Cherry street, choice residence property 240 feet deep; surroundings first class; get our figures on these lots. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—A FEW VERY DESIRABLE residence lots still left in Webster Place. If you want to buy cheap, now is the time to buy this property. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—FIRST CLASS PROPERTY for factory purposes on Wabash ave., near Thirteenth street; will sell at prices that are right. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—LOT 40x200 ON VANCE ST., near Detroit ave.; good property for investment; get our price and let us show you the lot. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—ON ONTARIO STREET, BEtween Mulberry and Magnolia streets; good location, at low figure. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—FRONTAGE TO SUIT, ON Forrer street, near Collingwood ave.; street cars convenient; lots all of good depth. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—GOOD PROPERTY FOR factory or cheap residence purposes, on Smith street; lots 118 feet deep, frontage to suit. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—FRONTAGE TO SUIT, ON Germania street, Indiana avenue and Missouri street, near Ewing street, lots at a low figure; if you want desirable 8th ward property see Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—COLLINGWOOD AVENUE, near Washington street; good neighborhood; street cars convenient; will sell frontage to suit, or build for parties desiring. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—ON MICHIGAN ST., NORTH Toledo, corner lot, well located, and at proper price, lot 40 feet front and good depth. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

RESTAURANT AND SAMPLE ROOM for sale cheap, if sold immediately, at 912 Adams street. Inquire at premises. 27nov-tf

FOR SALE—ONE BAY MARE, CHEAP, at 439 Segur ave. Call soon. 25nov-tf

FRUIT FARM FOR SALE—10 ACRES—about 7 miles from Toledo and 1 1-2 from Perrysburg, on river road; good house, good cellar, good barn; fruits of all kinds; about one acre vineyard. Chas. J. Kirschner & Co., 512 Madison street. 21nov12

PROPERTY FOR SALE—HOUSE AND lot on Walbridge ave., $3,500; house and lot on Washington st., $2,500; 73 feet on Collingwood, near Delaware ave., at $40; 100 feet on Robinwood, near Bancroft, at $30; house and lot on Lee st., 9th ward, $1,400; 3 new cottages now being built on East Broadway, for $1,000 each; small down payments, balance monthly. Irving and Rossell, 16 Produce Exchange. 25aug-tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—MEAT MARKET with all conveniences; 1417 Cherry st., Toledo, Ohio. 7novlm-p

THEATER FOR SALE — PROPERTY known as the Standard theater, is for sale, rent or long lease; can be used for theatrical or manufacturing purposes; owner wishes to retire from business on account of sickness, I mean business. Enquire at the theater, Toledo, O. 4nov-tf

FOR RENT—HOUSES.

FOR RENT—COTTAGE ON WISCONSIN street, near Division; near two street car lines; has natural gas. Inquire of I. E. Knisely, 30 Produce Exchange. 5dec3p

FOR RENT—BRICK RESIDENCE, NO. 322 Broadway, near Union depot; 4 or 5 rooms and cellar, all in good order; natural gas; city water. Inquire 12 to 1 o'clock, H. G. Fulton, Oliver house. 3dec3p

FOR RENT—STORE AND DWELLING—No. 2939 Summit ave., North Toledo, near Wheeling bridge. Inquire on premises. 2dec6p

HOUSE FOR RENT—A TWO STORY double house, located on East Broadway, East Toledo, near Nevada street. Key can be found next door. The house has 7 rooms on each side, natural gas, well and cistern. Rent only $10 per month. C. E. Thompson, 413 12th street. 27nov-tf

FOR RENT—CHOICE RESIDENCE ON Machen street, near Collingwood ave.; bath room, gas, etc.; splendid barn; two lots with orchard; $18 per month. Chas. J. Kirschner & Co., 512 Madison st. 21nov12

HOUSE FOR RENT—A HOUSE OF 12 rooms with all the modern improvements, including natural gas, at 1225 Superior st.; splendid neighborhood, convenient to business. Apply to V. W. Granger, 305 Summit street. 4apr-tf

LOST AND FOUND.

WATCH—LOST GOLD WATCH AND chain with first name inside. Finder will be well rewarded if returned to 1925 Warren street. 4dec2p

$25 REWARD AND NO QUESTIONS asked for a 16-inch alligator hand-bag lost in the wreck of Nov. 24th, if it still contains a nickle-plated model with knives attached. Apply at this office, or of J. A. MacKenzie at St. Vincent's Hospital. 49

LOST—GOLD RING, SET WITH THREE diamonds and two emeralds, on Friday evening; reward by returning to 239 Summit st. 4dec6p

CLAIRVOYANT.

ARRIVED—GYPSY ZORA—WHO HAS no peer in placing before you a panorama of your past, present and future; tells everything. Rooms, 321 Cherry street. 6nov18p

MISCELLANEOUS.

I HAVE ON HAND A BIG STOCK OF shuttle sewing machines, many of them good as new; $10 and upwards. A. Austin, 317 Adams st. 4dec2p

WANT TO BUY A PLATFORM SPRING wagon-gear; carry 1,500 to 2,000; address Wm. Heagh, 905 Washington st. Phone 1017. 4dec6

CIVIL ENGINEERING—IF YOU ARE wanting any civil engineering or architectural work done, any mechanical map, patent office or other draughting executed, or have any blue prints to be made, consult J. N. Huston, civil engineer and architect, Worthington Block. 5dec6p

PERSONAL—DIRECTORY OF BUSINESS firms of Ohio in new and compact form; new city directory; new "Unabridged"; magnificent new family Bible; new Encyclopedia; antique books, all cheap, 315 St. Clair st., near P. O. 5dec2p

"PRINCE OF COLLINGWOOD," REGIStered Holstein Prussian Bull has been removed to the Whitney farm on Monroe st., 1-4 mile beyond Wagon Works. 5dec6p

ANY FACTORY CONTEMPLATING A removal will learn something advantageous by addressing E 77, Bee office. 4dec2p

WANTED—SQUARE PIANO—GIVE MAKE of piano, how long used, and price, and where instrument can be seen. Address Piano, care Bee office. 30nov6

DON'T FAIL TO SEE THOSE FINE cabinets at Dubbs & Co.'s for $2.00 per dozen. 24nov-tf

WANTED — EVERYBODY TO KNOW that the best cabinet photographs for the least money are made at Aller Gallery, 343 Summit. Good cabinets for $2 per dozen. 21novlm

SPECIAL DEDUCTION FOR CHILdren's pictures at Dubbs & Co.'s, 331 Broadway. 24nov-tf

FIRE, ACCIDENT AND PLATE GLASS insurance and real estate. Phone 1288, C. C. & H. H. ("Bert") Dawson, 2 New Bee Building, first floor. 3novlm

FINE CABINETS AT DUBBS & CO.'S for $2.00 per dozen; 331 Broadway. 24nov-tf

CISTERNS OF ALL SIZES IN STOCK OR made to order; delivered in any part of city; will set in position if desired. Phone 821. The Merrell Manufacturing Co., Curtis st. 2maylyr

FIRE! FIRE! START YOUR FIRE WITH the McDonald Fire Kindler, the best one in the market; agents wanted. Call at 1131 Erie street. 31octlm

EAST TOLEDO TO THE FRONT! SEE her grow! Patronize Thompson's E. Z. Payment Furniture store, 109 Bridge street, and promote the business interests of your own ward. 27oct-to-jan-1

WANTED—CITIZENS OF TOLEDO TO know that Koella the artist has moved from Fourth ward to Hassenzahl's Block, 324 Cherry street. Call if you want fine photography. 28sep3m

ANY ONE HAVING MONEY TO LOAN on improved city or farm property at good rates will find it to their interest to call on T. S. Merrell, 512 Madison st. No charge for investment. 17auglyr

DO YOU WANT A PENSION? IF YOU do, and have doubts as to your claim, consult J. H. Spain, corner Monroe and Market Space. Advice given free. 7aprlyr

WANTED—THE PEOPLE TO KNOW that they can get anything they want in the line of stationary, art goods, cigars and tobacco, at Geo. T. Frey's, 611 Cherry street. 31janlyr

GEORGE W. MERRILL, JUSTICE OF the Peace and Notary Public; deeds, leases, mortgages and all legal papers executed; special attention paid to collection of commercial paper. Office hours, 8 a. m. to 9 p. m. Room 26 Law Building, corner Superior and Madison streets. jan12tf

WANTED—SITUATIONS.

WANTED—WORK BY A UNION CARpenter; good on soft or hard wood finishing or any outside work. Call or send word to 621 Lafayette st. city, near Erie. 27

WANTED—POSITION AS DRUG CLERK. Have had 12 years experience; best of reference as to ability; strictly sober. Address Bromide, 219 West street, Findlay, Ohio. 26

WANTED—SITUATION BY A YOUNG man of 29; one who is willing to work and can come well recommended. Address Jas. Hanks, 4 Unity Block. 26

WANTED—SITUATION BY A BOY TO work in restaurant. Address Room 8, Unity Block.

WANTED—SITUATION BY A YOUNG man 19 years of age, in a store or office; speaks three languages, and is a fair penman. Address E. 79, care of Bee office.

WANTED—SITUATION—BY A BOY 17 years old to tend to horse and act as coachman in some private family. Address 68 St. Clair st. 28

WANTED—WASHING TO DO AT HOME by lady in the Ninth ward. Address J. J. E 76, care Bee. 27

WANTED—WORK BY YOUNG MAN OF any kind to do; inside work preferred. Address E 75, Bee office. 27

WANTED—DRESSMAKING IN FAMIlies by a competent dressmaker. Address M. M. Markahar, Postoffice. 27

COOK—WANTED SITUATION BY MIDdle-aged lady as cook in hotel or restaurant; no objection to going out of the city. Address E 78, Bee office. 27

WANTED—WASHING AND IRONING to do; call at 1012 Broadway. 28

WANTED — SITUATION IN RETAIL grocery or driving delivery wagon. Address E 72, Bee office. 29

WANTED — SITUATION AS HOTEL clerk by an experienced man, or care of billiard room or bar. Address C. H. Comstock, Box 493, Hudson, Mich. 30

HOSTLER—WANTED, A SITUATION AS hostler in livery or private family; can give good reference, by a middle-aged colored man. Address E. 68, Bee office. 31

WANTED—A SITUATION AS BOOKkeeper; can show the best of references. Address Penn. Depot, care of A. Boulun.

WANT TO HEAR OF PARTIES WISHing to employ a collector or delivery man; 10 years experience. Address E. 52, Bee office.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS DELIVery clerk or any work around store; has had 10 years' experience. Address E 52, Bee office.

WANTED—POSITION AS PRESSMAN—A 1 on book and job work; have had several years' experience in eastern cities; recommendations first class. Address W. B. 133 State street, Elkhart, Ind. 29

WANTED—BY YOUNG MARRIED MAN, position in warehouse or store; would canvass for anything good. Address H. B. 332 Colburn st. 30

WANTED—SITUATION BY A YOUNG man willing to do any kind of work; used to horses. Address E. 70, Bee office. 30

COOK—WANTED, SITUATION BY SOBER white man. Address Cook, 311 Huron st. 30

WANTED—SITUATION BY YOUNG MAN as grocery clerk; can give good reference. Address 1449 Michigan street. 31

SITUATION WANTED BY A YOUNG man of 21 to work in retail store of any kind, or drive delivery wagon. Address E. J. Studebaker, care C. W. Crawford, Air Line Junction. 33

PERSONAL.

PERSONAL — YOUR FUTURE REvealed. Written prediction of your life, 10c; Give date of birth. Astrologer, L. Box 326, Kansas City, Mo. 13nov7w

PERSONAL—SEND 10c FOR BIG PACKage of cabinet size pictures, also full descriptions (including residences) of respectable ladies who want to correspond for matrimony; 5,000 lady members; every age and nationality; living everywhere; many of them beautiful and wealthy. Hearts and Hand Agency, Drawer 697, Chicago, Ill. 13nov5w

WANTED—AGENTS.

WE OFFER AGENTS BIG MONEY, IN exclusive territory. Our new patent safes, sell at sight in city or country. New agents first in field actually getting rich. One agent in one day cleared $86. So can you. Catalogue free. Alpine Safe Co., No. 563-371, Clark St., Cincinnati, O. sat8m

AGENTS WANTED—SOMETHING NEW —a bonanza to right parties; will be at the Hanner house until Monday evening, December 7; inquire for C. J. Mitchell of clerk. 4dec2p

CITY NEWS.

Ask your grocer for Taylor's flour.

Easter Sunday falls on April 17 the coming year.

Sir Edwin Arnold lectures to-night at the opera house.

The circuit judges hold court at Port Clinton next Monday.

A cold wave is advertised for Toledo and vicinity early next week.

Meeting of railway postal clerks at the Federal building this evening.

Remenyi appears in Toledo under the Star course auspices January 20.

Revival meetings are in progress at Bethany M. E. church, East Toledo.

A news stand has been started in one of the election booths on the East Side.

The Crescent Livery Co. Phone 899.

Toledo Elks will hold their lodge of sorrow in their hall to-morrow afternoon.

Park commissioners will meet on Monday, and will likely organize and get to work.

Ohio wheelmen's state officers meet in Cleveland, December 12. Toledo will be represented.

Anniversary of junior Bibe class at West Toledo M. E. church next Wednesday evening.

Louisa Denhard applied in common pleas court to-day for a divorce from her husband, Denhard.

Toledo post, G. A. R., will elect officers next Wednesday evening at headquarters in the Pythian castle.

Miss Grace Reals will take Miss Bessie Doolittle's place in St. Paul's M. E. church choir to-morrow.

Several issues of improvement bonds will be offered for sale by City Auditor Walker on Monday evening.

Ask for Seyfang's "New Process" bread.

Rector Watt, of St. Mark's church, will conduct the services at Grace church, Stickney avenue, to-morrow night.

Annual meeting of the Toledo Traveling Men's association at Produce Exchange to-night. A great crowd is anticipated.

Buckeye paints and varnishes have a reputation for durability.

Rev. Chauncey N. Pond will present the Sunday school cause at the First Congregational church to-morrow morning.

The Oak Harbor foundry is building an extra large picket and sawmill, for parties in East Toledo.—Oak Harbor Press.

Henry Dicks sued for a divorce from his wife, Johanna Dicks, and the custody of two children in common pleas court to-day.

The indictment of larceny against Charles Fletcher in common pleas court was marked off of the criminal docket to-day.

To stimulate the appetite and secure good digestion use Angostura Bitters. Sole manufacturers, Dr. J. G. B. Siegert & Sons. Ask your druggist.

Col. Billingslea, of the Ketcham Furniture company, is still confined to his home, suffering from rheumatism. He is reported to be in bad shape.

Signs have been put up on the election booths which are to stand during the winter offering $10 reward for the capture of any persons attempting to damage them.

Miss M. C. Wright, of Detroit, will give a public exhibition and sale of handdecorated china at Hotel Ontario, from 1 to 8 p. m., Monday, Dec. 7. Prices reasonable.

Col. George P. Waldorf, collector of internal revenues at Toledo, was in the city last evening in the interest of the reelection of Senator John Sherman.—Findlay Republican.

The Retail Merchants' Protective association, with headquarters in the new Bee building, has completed preliminary steps of organization, and will next week go to work in earnest.

Merit is the corner-stone of success. That is the reason Avery's tailoring and dressmaking parlors are so popular.

Public schools begin Christmas vacation Thursday, December 24, and resume studies Monday, January 4. Of course, there is the usual kick among pupils that the vacation is too short.

Everett M. Cook, dentist, successor to Nevius & Cook, Worthington block, corner Superior and Adams streets.

The Woman's Working band will hold its annual Christmas market in the parlors of the Central Congregational church next Wednesday. Dinner from 11:30 to 2; supper from 6 to 8 p. m.

Nothing is too difficult for Avery, the ladies' tailor. He is an artist in his line.

A fair is to be held by the members of the Second Congregational church, East Toledo, next Tuesday and Wednesday, day and evening, proceeds for the benefit of Rev. S. Bartlett, the pastor.

J. F. Erlenbach, of Lucas county, sent up for seven years for forgery, has been recommended to the governor for pardon by the state board of pardons. Thomas Skehan's application was rejected.

Avery's tailoring and dressmaking parlors, 616 Adams street, are becoming very popular, and why not?

An enjoyable time was had at the oyster supper given by the ladies of the Albany street church last night. There was a good attendance, and the treasury is several dollars better off.

Pimples removed by Heiskell's Ointment

The athletic exhibition at the Y. M. C. A. last evening was all that could be desired. The participants in the various contests proved themselves fively athletes. There is yet another contest to be held December 18, when the medals competed for will be awarded to the lucky contestants.

Send next week's washing to the Toledo Laundry Co. Phone 438.

Rumor in political circles to-day is to the effect that Governor-elect McKinley has tendered the appointment of adjutant general to Colonel E. J. Pocock. The colonel is absent from the city, and the impression is that he has gone to Canton to consult with the governor-elect.—Columbus Dispatch, 3d.

Order a carriage or coupe for an afternoon drive from the Crescent Livery Co. Phone 899.

Elmer Dale is in receipt of a very complimentary letter from Chancellor Commander Ed. Blue, of the Perrysburg K. P. lodge, relative to the work of Lucas lodge's team and especially Mr. Dale's part in the same, at the institution on Wednesday evening. Elmer appreciates the kind words.

MOTHERS! MOTHERS! MOTHERS!

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain; cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhœa. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

HERE YOU ARE | A Chevalle chamber suite, antique, only $14. A few of them left only. BARNES & WHEELER, 610 Summit street.

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Sold at all flour and grocery stores in the city.

MANY NOVELTIES | In brass and onyx stands, and many new patterns in mahogany, oak and silver maple. See them at M. Bartlett's, 618 Jefferson street.

CHEAP EXCURSION TO CINCINNATI.

The Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton railroad, in connection with the Michigan Central, announces a cheap excursion from Detroit, Dec. 8. The round trip rate from Detroit will be $4.20, and tickets will be good going on all regular trains Dec. 8. The rate from Toledo will be $3.00, and an equally low rate will be in effect from all points on the C., H. & D. north of and including Tippecanoe. Ask your local agent for tickets and further information. The tickets are good returning until Dec. 11, inclusive, on any regular train leaving Cincinnati.

FOOT STOOLS | And ottomans in carpet and muslin finish; also in gilt and silk and satin finishes, at M. Bartlett's, 618 Jefferson st. The newest things in Horn Hairpins

Merchant Tailors' Misfit Clothing Parlors, 416 Madison St.

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TIRED OF LIFE BECAUSE OF A DERANGED AND DISEASED STOMACH.

An Awful Experience as Related to a Bee Reporter by a Victim of Dyspepsia.

In conversation with a well-known Toledo business man a few evenings ago, while eating a tempting repast at the "New Toledo" restaurant, the talk finally drifted into the subject of dyspepsia and other stomach derangements. "Would you think," said the business man, "that only a few brief months ago I was a victim of the very worst form of stomach disease and was wasted away to a mere shadow of my present self?" The hungry reporter was so surprised at this declaration from his robust looking friend that he halted a piece of beefsteak on his fork in mid-air while he asked him if he was really in earnest. "I mean exactly what I say," said the b. m., and then becoming more confidential he continued: "I don't want my name used, but I could tell you something startling in connection with my terrible dyspepsia experience." After the scribe promised secrecy for his name the business man related his sensational experience.

"Ten years ago," said he, "when I heard dyspeptic individuals complain I used to laugh to myself and say inwardly those people, through force of habit, are chronic kickers on their health. On such occasions I used to tell these 'chronics' to eat anything, as I did, and they would come out all right. I boasted of having a stomach like a horse, and laughed at the idea that the time might come when I could not eat and drink what I fancied.

Five years ago the tables were turned, and I, who used to boastingly declare that I believed my stomach would almost digest nails, became the worst kind of a 'chronic' kicker on my treacherous stomach. If I remember rightly about the first symptoms of dyspepsia in my case was the belching up of pieces of victuals after eating. About this time I also became afflicted with constipation. I started doping myself with various laxative nostrums which would seem to relieve me for a time, but finally they would fail to operate and left me in a worse state than before. This condition finally produced piles and also terrible cramps, resulting from the irritation in the bowels of indigested food, which felt like a whole loaf of soggy bread or a stone in my stomach.

"For about four years my condition kept growing from bad to worse in spite of the fact that I had treated with a dozen doctors and tried nearly every patent medicine on the market. As a result of the distressing complications of the stomach and bowels, all sorts of sharp shooting pains would at times dart through different parts of my then wasted body. The action of my kidneys became affected, my liver was torpid and my skin became yellow. Finally gasses would form and distend my stomach in such a way as to interfere with the action of the heart, and I would often suddenly awaken from a troubled sleep with a sinking, dizzy sensation as if dying. By this time my stomach was so weak that I could not even retain a very soft poached egg. In fact I threw up nearly everything I tried to eat or drink and life became a burden.

"After having existed in this awful condition of body and mind for nearly a year I finally became desperate one night and determined to put an end to my miserable existence. I arose from my bed, and after writing a farewell note to my relatives and friends I deliberately took a dose of "rough on rats" and laid me down to die. But my weak stomach, then the bane of my life, came to my rescue and I was compelled to throw up the poison and live, although I was deathly sick for some time. Just as I had recovered sufficiently to figure on some other mode of exit from this vale of tears a dear friend of mine came and told me of a neighbor of his who had been cured of the worst form of dyspepsia by Dr. Kalkhoff, the great European specialist who, with his staff of assistants, now occupies the entire upper floors of the block at 505 and 507 Summit street, between Oak and Orange. My friend insisted on my giving Dr. Kalkhoff a trial, and in a few months, by the aid of his wonderful specific stomach remedies and original system of diet charts of what to eat and drink, I finally became a well man. I now thank my stars that I threw up that "rough on rats," as I am now enjoying life as well as any man in Toledo." In answer to an inquiry from the reporter as to whether Dr. Kalkhoff knew that he tried to commit suicide, he said: "Oh, no; he of course has my name and a record of my case and cure, together with that of many others which he uses by permission as testimonials, but you are the only one outside of my own immediate family that knows I ever tried to suicide. I am half sorry that I told you, but then if you print the story without giving my name, it may be the means of saving some one else from such terrible suffering as I went through with. I know you as a man of honor and have intrusted you with my secret for the sake of suffering humanity."

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